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JOHNSON.

THE EX-PRESIDENT AT HOME

His Views as to Grant's Administration.

What he Thinks of the Country and the People.

Suggestions as to the Future.

From the Cincinnati Commercial.]

WHAT HE IS IN CONVERSATION.

In conversation Johnson is very pleasant, talks readily, but with great earnestness. He never seems to hesitate for a word, but words and sentences follow each other in rapid succession, and in a uniform pitch of voice. His hair is now quite grey, but otherwise there is nothing about him that would indicate his being over forty-five. His face is cleanly shaved and quite pale, as it always is. His eye is dark, and in conversation he looks you square in the face. J. W. Forney said of him many years ago, (that was before Forney got to be a dead duck, or Johnson became the great traitor,) that "any one who gazed into his dark eyes and perused his pale face, would have seen there an unquenchable spirit, and an almost fanatical obstinacy that spoke another language."

GRANT HAS NO DEFINITE COURSE.

He says that the reason Grant gives so much dissatisfaction in the appointment of officers is, that he is not experienced in public life, and has no chart or compass to go by. Without a man has cardinal points laid out and a harbor to steer to, he will become befogged and confused. It cannot be said that he will lose his course, for he has no course to go by, but drifts about at the mercy of wind and wave. Grant, he says, is a man picked up for his great military popularity. The Radicals had to take him, although they were somewhat in doubt as to his being genuinely Radical, but to save themselves from defeat they took him, and his record as a brilliant commander in the field elected him. He had never held a civil office before—never had been taught in the school of experience, and blunders might be expected in the selection of subordinates. But everything will come around right after a while. The mass of the American people, at heart, are attached to the Union, and the Constitution as no people ever were before, and though they may be led astray by politicians for a while, they will see the danger before it is too late, and rally to the support of the Constitution of our fathers. He has an abiding faith in the people, and a faith that has never been shaken.

BRIGHT FUTURE FOR EAST TENNESSEE

"I think," he continued, "that we have a beautiful country here in East Tennessee, but we need capital and enterprise. As soon as matters get settled a little, I believe that capitalists from the North will come here in numbers and help to develop the country; but the people are so thrown out of joint, as it were, and unsettled politically, that men of capital seem afraid to come in here; but this state of affairs will not—cannot, in fact—last long, and, in my opinion, East Tennessee has a future as bright as any section of the country. Our superior soil and climate, together with our great mineral wealth, will be sure to attract immigration as soon as we become a little more settled in a political point of view. We want peace and order in the country, and more confidence in each other. I have always been opposed to anything and everything that would breed tumult and disorder; in short, I have always been a peace man, and opposed to war or the shedding of blood when it could possibly be avoided."

TOOK DECIDED GROUND AGAINST THE WAR.

At the commencement of our late unhappy struggle I took decided grounds against secession because I knew it would bring war and bloodshed. I said to the people, let us fight this battle in the Union and under the Constitution; let it be a battle of words, as it were, and not a battle of swords. I told the Southern people that if they had been wronged, they should seek redress in the Union and under the Constitution. For taking this stand and doing all I could to kill the secession movement and make the people stand firm by the Union, I was denounced as a traitor and a tory, and forced to leave my home and have my property destroyed. On the 12th of June, 1861, I left this home because I could stay here no longer. I was hooted at and insulted in every possible way, and my life threatened. Now, some of the very men who were engaged in this, some of the very men who used to denounce me as a traitor and a tory, because I stood up by the Government, have since turned to be very loyal, and denounce me as a traitor because I want to stand by the Constitution, as I stood by the Union.

REBEL UNIONISTS AND YANKEE REBELS.

"There are two very bad classes of men in the country," he continued, "and they are what might be called Rebel Unionists and Yankee Rebels. By a Rebel Unionist I mean a man who was very much of a Rebel at first, and wanted to drive every Union man out of the country, as they did me, and who have since turned to be so very loyal that they are unwilling that an honest Rebel should have any rights at all. We have many instances of this class of men in this State; men who deserted the sinking fortunes of the rebellion, when they saw that it was sinking, who are now so wonderfully loyal as to denounce everybody as 'rebels' and 'traitors' who do not happen to believe as they do. In my opinion, as I said before, another bad class of men in the South are the Yankee Rebels—that is, men of Northern birth and education, who espoused the cause of rebellion. When the worst came to the worst, and we saw that there would have to be a war, we naturally looked to the Northern residents of the South for assistance, but in a majority of instances they went against their Government."

GLORIOUS OPENING FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

"There never was," he continued, "such a glorious opening for the American people, as there is now, if they will only let the past go and look to the future. If we will out live together, harmonize, and be friends, we will become the greatest nation on earth. What a splendid opportunity," he continued, "for young men just starting out in life, if they will only be true to themselves and use reasonable industry. I don't care whether he is at the bar, or at the plow, a mechanic, or a medical student, he lives in a golden age, and an age that he can distinguish himself in if he will only persevere in the right course. Young men are sometimes discouraged because they think their reward for patient toil is slow in coming, but if they will keep right straight ahead, and not allow themselves to be discouraged at anything, there is always some one who will discover their merit and lend them a helping hand."

INDUSTRY AND ECONOMY NECESSARY TO SUCCESS IN LIFE.

"There is a great deal said about education, and wealth, and family connection, and all that, but it all amounts to nothing, unless a young man is determined to make something out of himself. Education is, of course, a great advantage, but he that depends solely upon that will find himself outstripped in the race of life. So a young man who thinks that, because his family is rich and powerful, he must necessarily be so, will find himself mistaken. A wealthy family are liable to be broken up and their riches scattered to the four winds, and then what is the condition of the young man who thought nothing else was needed?

"It matters not what pursuit a young man may follow, or what profession he adopts, if he will only be industrious and economize his time, success will be his sooner or later. Never, in the history of the world, has there been such an opening for young men as there now is in America. The ground is already prepared for the seed—all they have to do is to sow good seed, and the harvest will come in due time."

HIS OWN CASE AN ILLUSTRATION.

I mentioned his own case as an illustration of the American system which afforded a chance to all, and told him I had been around to see the tailor shop, where he had first got a start in the world.

"Yes," he said laughingly, "the old shop is there yet, but a great many things connected with it are lost. My old, original sign, together with one or two benches or tables, I had in the cellar, but when the Southern troops made a hospital at my house, they destroyed them. I also had a pair of the best shears for the purposes of my trade I ever saw; they were large, and so arranged that a man could use them half a day at a time without tiring his hand like other shears. I was very careful of them, but they went the way of my other things. The Rebel troops used my house as a hospital, and conveyed off or destroyed everything moveable. I regret the loss of my books. They were not valuable, in one sense of the word, but dollars and cents cannot replace them. There was one in particular that I believe formed a turning point in my life; that is, it caused my thoughts to take a channel which they might not and probably would not have otherwise taken. This book was a volume of extracts from the speeches of Pitt, Fox, Burke and other English orators. When I was learning my trade at Raleigh, N. C., a gentleman used to come into the shop and read aloud, and seeing that we tailors enjoyed it so much, he used frequently to come, and finally gave me the book, which was the first property I ever owned. How many times I have read the book I am unable to say, but I am satisfied it caused my life to take a different turn from what it otherwise would. I also had a grammar, arithmetic and geography, of which I became the possessor some time afterward, and which I prized very highly. Of all my books that I left, I have never heard of but one. The soldiers made away with them all. A few years ago, while I was in Washington, a gentleman in Virginia came across one of my old books, and knew it by my name being on the fly-leaf. He sent it to me, but requested that I let him keep it, which I did."

BROWNLOW.

How he Appears to a Radical Correspondent.

Washington Correspondence Chicago Tribune.]

I called on Parson Brownlow, of the United States Senate, last Sunday. He has the most marked case of ancient scriptural palsy that I ever saw. He boards at the celebrated boarding house of Mrs. Carter, on Capitol Hill, and when I waited on him I found him lying on his back upon a lounge, his hands moving in the slowly listless way of one who fingers the coverlets and babbles of the green fields. Helplessness of hands, pitiful reaching out for perch, for rest, for support; this was the man's movement; but in his fixed, concentrated face, without a twitch or tremor in it, there lay the steady purpose of a will that never wavered. The face was all rock, the hands were all crab. White they were and thin, and between his forehead and his knee they fluttered like a pair of weary gulls between coast and coast. But on his pale face, not noble in its proportions, not high nor intellectual, nor large in its benignities—his two calm eyes looked like a search warrant, and his smile was easy as a king's.

A pinched face it was; short, bony, with Indian cheeks, and the hairs were young and smooth. His mouth shut so close that the cheeks puckered where you and I show side dimples. Beside him were his son and son-in-law, dutiful and respectful, the former inheritor of his newspaper chart, and like the old man in many things. Brownlow walks to the Senate every day, and takes his place with powerful pride. Vanity is his immortal motive. His ability is like that of William the Norman—terrible, long, unrelenting. His government in Tennessee has been oriental in its absolutism, yet in its results extraordinary. The State is calm, the flag is upheld, there are no weaknesses in the law for superficial subservients to ship through. The old man decreed his constitution, formed it after the fashion of a blacksmith's vise, and had it enacted by a compulsory quorum. Those vote whom he declares citizens—no more. The South has it revealed to them that not out of the North come the tramplers of their broken spirits, but out of their own civilization. An ancient slaveholder and a defender of the Divine right of masters is he who gives them to make bricks without straw, and the bulrushes for the children's cradles.

WOMEN.

What they are in the Departments.

Testimony of "Olivia" and "Hannah Taylor."

Olivia, the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press*, takes off the damsels who infest the Departments at Washington in the following style:

"The President receives the people between the hours of three and four p. m, one brief hour, which, if chopped into seconds, would not give the multitude a small fraction of an instant. And yet with this fact before their eyes, men and women, too, go day after day and sit in the state rooms of the mansion waiting like Micawber for something to "turn up." Oh, that the loving mothers and dutiful daughters of this broad land could be transported to Washington in the twinkling of an eye, and see with their own eyes the scramble for place and power. There are women enough here already for postoffices, to give us a taste of the time, which we pray God may never come, when women too shall have the right to take political mudbath which only the divine strength of manhood can endure, and not be morally shattered forever. If by any means the wives and mothers of this country could have a bird's eye view of the political stage in Washington, in the madness of their horror they would strangle every sorosis, and with their own hands shut up every so-called strong minded woman in the insane asylum, and at the same time fling the keys of the hateful institution into the uttermost depths of the sea. Cleanse the cesspools of politics by going down into them wrapped up in the white garments of our womanhood? Never, ye bold and brazen wing of sisterhood. Any woman who comes to Washington and fights for a postoffice deserves it as a free gift to help ameliorate misfortune because she happened to be born a constitutional mistake, for which she is for a whole lifetime wholly irresponsible."

But Olivia is not a "patching" to Hannah Tyler, a clerkess in the Treasury Department. Hannah, like Mrs. Swisshelm, is not afraid to put her name to what she says, and publishes a card in the *Independent*, of New York, which will certainly cost her a situation. If the domain of old scratch, has no fury like a woman, scorned then are Hannah's chestnuts roasted. She does not deal in inuendoes, but charges boldly that she is obliged to associate daily with those maidens who are the paramours and mistresses of members of Congress. Think of it, George H. Stewart and the Christian Association. Will not brimstone and fire overtake this modern Sodom? Hannah says:

"In the Postoffice Department the law provides for fifty female clerks, and desks are arranged for that number; yet ex-Postmaster General Randall appointed one hundred and five. During the two weeks immediately prior to his exit, he appointed thirty female clerks; and for what reason Heaven only knows, since nearly one fifth of those already employed had nothing to do—nay, not even a seat in the office. I can conceive of no earthly object Randall had in appointing these women, unless it was to embarrass his successor.

"In conclusion, I hold that women who are competent to perform the same labor as men should receive the same compensation, and be subject to the same condition, for violating which they should be dismissed.

"Every woman employed should be subjected to the same examination as men, and personal beauty or laxity of morals ought not to be a recommendation, as is too often the case. The examining board should be women. In order to prevent corruption in all bureaus where women are employed, there should be female auditors. I have an instance in my mind where one malicious woman clerk caused the removal of some five or six faithful men, simply because they refused to lend money to her husband, (?) a worthless blackguard, who never pays his debts. I am happy to state that the auditor who made these removals has just resigned and gone to the West.

"Congress or the President ought to afford us some protection, if they allow us to occupy offices. We ought not to be insulted by having the paramours and mistresses of members of Congress forced upon us, and be obliged to tolerate their society day by day. Let Mr. Boutwell clean out the riff-raff and pollution of his department. Let him appoint moral and competent women; then let us be paid according to our merits. Such is the earnest prayer of every honest woman clerk. HANNAH TYLER."

MISSISSIPPI.

A Second Delegation Visits Grant.

From the Washington Republican of the 27th.]

A party of gentlemen from Mississippi, Republicans and Conservatives, consisting of Judge Simrall, Capt. Fisk, Hon. Mr. Watson, Maj. Nufford, ex Gov. Brown, and Judge Jeffords, called yesterday evening, in company with Judge G. W. Dent, upon the President, and spent half an hour in a most agreeable conversation with him in relation to Mississippi affairs.

Judge Simrall stated to the President that they had called on him as citizens of Mississippi, representing in his opinion, the views of a large majority of the people of the State, to express their entire confidence in him as the President of this great nation, and their desire for the speedy reconstruction of their State. That they would faithfully abide by the reconstruction acts of Congress; but would most respectfully ask that the President and Congress interpose to prevent harsher terms than those required by Congress, being forced upon the people.

That in their opinion the plan indicated by the President for the restoration of the States is eminently wise and just, and meet fully the exigency of affairs in Mississippi. The President said that he had no doubt but that Congress would act wisely and justly in the matter, and would pass such a law as would bring peace and restoration to the State. That he was free to admit that in his opinion the speediest, cheapest and most satisfactory solution of the Mississippi problem was for Congress to submit the constitution framed by the late convention to the people, with the privilege of voting separately upon three or four clauses of the constitution. He further stated that he thought one election was sufficient to vote upon the constitution, and to fill the various offices in the State. That he had appointed a military commander, Gen. Ames, for the State, whom he thought competent to execute the laws and the reconstruction acts of Congress. The delegation retired, expressing their entire satisfaction with the views of the President.

STATE NEWS.

An Incident—The Railroad Assassins—Education—Tennessee and Pacific Railroad—Heavy Storm—Nashville Presbytery—Gallatin and Murfreesboro Railroad.

From the Nashville Banner of Sunday.]

AN INCIDENT.

Upon ex-President Johnson's arrival at Greenville the other day, stepping from the car at the depot platform, he was met by a delegation of young ladies, led by Miss Belle McGaughey, who, in the name of the daughters of Greenville, presented him with a beautiful boquet, addressing him as follows;

"Mr. Johnson: In the name of the daughters of Greenville, I bid you welcome, thrice welcome to your home. Please accept these flowers as emblematical of your purity of purpose, and may God bless and reward you for all the sacrifices you have made in defense of justice and the Constitution."

Mr. Johnson, in terms of affectionate appreciation, responded to the compliments and drew them in his fatherly embrace, saying, that like the Roman mother, he felt that he might exclaim, "these are my jewels."

There was an appropriate coincidence in this feature of the proceedings in the fact that each of the young ladies were grand children of Mr. Johnson's earliest friends, one being the granddaughter of a first customer of his when he opened his now historic "tailor shop."

THE RAILROAD ASSASSINS.

The *Press and Herald*, at Knoxville, states that the last of the fiends, who placed obstructions upon the East Tennessee and Virginia Railroad track, was caught near Newport. He was a boy of about sixteen years of age. He was brought to the road and taken to the jail at Greenville, where he was lodged with the other two. The three culprits are all negroes. The oldest one, and the instigator of the crime, is named Reeland Freeman. He is about twenty-eight or thirty years of age. The two boys are aged respectively sixteen and twelve. The boy last captured states that Freeman procured the two boys to place the iron on the track and promisee them two dollars for doing it.

From the Nashville Union and American of Sunday.]

NASHVILLE PRESBYTERY.

The Nashville Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in the town of Goodlettsville on Friday. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. J. M. Halsell.

Rev. James Marshall was elected Moderator, and Elder John Frizzell assistant stated clerk.

About forty delegates were present. Some interesting propositions were discussed, among them the question of the abolition of synods, which drew out long and able speeches from Rev. Drs. Baird and Blake, and Rev. Messrs. Ralston and Halsell.

The citizens of Goodlettsville and vicinity, so noted for their hospitality, entertained the Presbytery and its visitors in a manner highly creditable to the people of that section.

HEAVY STORM.

A heavy storm of wind and rain passed over the neighborhood two miles northwest of Lebanon last Thursday night, doing considerable damage. The Lebanon *Herald* says 300 yards of fencing on the farm of John Haynes were leveled with the ground, and the roof of a house on his place, rafters and all, was blown away. Up to this time we have not heard of any further damage, but we are apprehensive that along on the river the farmers sustained considerable loss.

TENNESSEE AND PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Maj. Falconet, Chief Engineer, and his party, will commence operations tomorrow, and in four weeks' time it is thought that dirt will be broken in the new enterprise.

There was a stockholders' meeting yesterday, but without transacting any business, an adjournment took place until Tuesday next, to give the committee time to solicit proxies to vote on amendments to the charter.

GALLATIN AND MURFREESBORO RAILROAD.

At a late meeting of the Directors of the Gallatin, Lebanon and Murfreesboro Railroad, Col. E. I. Golladay, of Wilson county, was elected President, and Gen. Joseph B. Palmer, of Murfreesboro, Vice President of the Company. Better selections could not have been made.

EDUCATION.

President McDonald, of Cumberland University, at Lebanon, in a spirited and plain-spoken address to the Magistrates of Wilson county, says: If Wilson county would maintain her prestige she must make provision for the education of her sons at home. If she fails to do that a mightier law than any earthly court can enact will force her and her sons to the lowest seats," and adds that the only slave, a few years hence, will be that man, no matter what his color is, whose ignorance unfits him for any higher sphere."

SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

An Elopement.

We are reliably informed that a minister, residing at Philadelphia, eloped from that place some days since, with another man's wife. The reverend Lothario left a wife and five children, and the partner of his flight deserted three of her offspring. The absconding gentleman, says the Knoxville *Whig*, stopped several weeks at Rogersville.

Preparations for the Great Council of Rome.

A building is now going up in the left arm formed by the ground plan of St. Peter's; in this place there is to be an amphitheater of an elliptical shape; its wood work alone will cost nearly $60,000. It is to be hoped that a more authentic record of the debates will be given to the world than we possess of those in the Council of Trent. Should reporters be admitted, which is not likely, they will have to brush up their Latin, as the proceedings will take place in that language.

The True Policy.

John Forsyth, in the columns of the Mobile *Register*, says:

"We of the South owe it to ourselves and our children to pretermit no opportunity that is presented by the loopholes and lapses in the reconstruction system to assert our rights and better our political condition. Because we cannot by one sweeping victory rid ourselves of the hated incubus of carpet-bag and negro rule, it does not follow that we should fold our arms in sullen lethargy. If we cannot gain by ells, it is none the less our duty to gain by inches."

A Hard Case.

During the war Rev. J. R. Graves, Rev. Wm. Buck and other Baptists, bought the Lauderdale Springs, Miss., as an asylum for homeless orphans of the war. The money was raised by voluntary contributions made by impoverished farmers. The property was paid for, and now the purchase is declared void by the United States Court, because the consideration was Confederate States currency. Joshua F. Speed, brother of the ex-Attorney General, is the representative of those who have won the suit against the homeless orphans. He asks of the doubly homeless orphans $10,000 for the property.

Nepotism.

Apropos of the nepotism which has so far distinguished all the appointments made by Gen. Grant, and the lavish distribution of public offices among his own and his wife's connections, a New York journal wittily revives the selection of subordinates made by Lieut. John Phœnix, A. M., upon the occasion of a military survey which that gallant officer was instructed to make of the route between San Francisco and the Mission of Dolores, for the purpose of testing the practicability of uniting those two points by a railroad. The list was as follows: James Phœnix (my elder brother) Treasurer; Joseph Phœnix (ditto) Quartermaster; William Phœnix (younger brother) Commissary; Peter Phœnix (ditto) Clerk; Paul Phœnix (my cousin) Sutler; Reuben Phœnix (ditto) Wagonmaster; Richard Phœnix (second cousin) Assistant ditto. Gen. Grant appears to have taken a leaf to some purpose out of Lieut. Derby's amusing book.

Buffaloes and Bradawls.

The buffaloes found in the telegraph poles of the overland line a new source of delight on the treeless prairie—the novelty of having something to scratch against. But it was expensive scratching for the telegraph company, and there, indeed, was the rub, for the bisons shook down miles of wire daily. A bright idea struck somebody to send to St. Louis and Chicago for all the bradawls that could be purchased, and these were driven into the poles with a view to wound the animals and check their rubbing propensity. Never was a greater mistake. The buffaloes were delighted. For the first time they came to the scratch sure of a sensation in their thick hides that thrilled them from horn to tail. They would go fifteen miles to find a bradawl. They fought huge battles around the poles containing them, and the victor would proudly climb the mountainous heap of the rump and hump of the fallen, and scratch himself into bliss until the bradawl broke, or the pole came down. There has been no demand for bradawls from the Kansas region since the first invoice.

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JANUARY 1, 1869.

Capital Stock	$1,000,000 00
Surplus	622,974 39
Total Assets	$1,622,974 39

ASSETS.

	Market value.
Real estate owned by the Company	$205,500 00
Loans on bond and mortgage	37,374 98
United States 5-20 bonds	325,875 00
Missouri State "	19,950 00
Tennessee " "	16,900 00
Wisconsin " "	12,000 00
Virginia " "	17,468 60
National Bank stocks	361,189 50
Canada "	34,373 75
Cash on hand and in bank	70,818 58
Cash in agents' hands and in course of transmission	230,108 36
Interest accrued	37,463 25
Bills redeemable	41,870 75
Premiums unpaid at home and branch offices	109,041 80
Rent accrued	2,302 00
Salvages on fire and inland losses undetermined	51,451 44
All other property of the Company	25,971 88
	$1,622,974 39

LIABILITIES.

Losses unadjusted and not due.......... $68,632 00

Subscribed and sworn to by
D. R. SATTERLEE, President.
WM. S. GOODELL, Secretary.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NASHVILLE, January 1, 1869.

I, G. W. Blackburn, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Home Insurance Company, located at New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies; and I further certify that H. T. Tomlinson, Agent of said Company, has also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases:

Wherefore, said Home Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Memphis, Tennessee.

G. W. BLACKBURN,
Comptroller of Tennessee.

H. T. TOMLINSON, AGENT,

No. 17 Madison Street,

mh27 MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

Statement of the Condition

—OF THE—

INTERNATION'L

INSURANCE CO.,

OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

—ON THE—

31st Day of December, 1868.

THE name of the Company is "INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY." It is located in the city of New York.

The amount of its Capital Stock is	$ 500,000
The amount of its Capital Stock paid up is	500,000

The Assets of the Company are as follows:

Cash on hand and in the hands of Agents or other persons		$ 37,433 32
Real Estate unincumbered		None.
Bonds owned by the Company, to-wit:		
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, par value	$526,500	
U. S. 10 40 Bonds, par value	104,000	
U. S. Six per ct., 30 year Bonds	215,000	
Virginia State Bonds	37,100	
New York County Bonds	8,500	
	$891,100	
Market value		$903,432 50
Loans on Bonds and Mortgage, being the first lien on unincumbered Real Estate, worth double the amount loaned		$ 8,000 00
Debts otherwise secured		192,800 00
Debts for Premiums		21,892 99
All other securities		14,433 93
Total Assets		$1,177,492 74

Liabilities:

Amounts due or not due to banks or other creditors	None.
Losses adjusted and due	None.
Losses adjusted and not due	None.
Losses unadjusted and, Losses in suspense, waiting for further proof	$155,797 90
All other claims against the Company	19,838 10
Total Liabilities	$175,636 00

The greatest amount insured in any one risk,
The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company to be insured in any one city, town or village,
The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block,
[No arbitrary rule on these points. This Company is governed by a prudent regard for the construction, occupancy and exposure of risks.]

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

GEORGE W. SAVAGE, President, and WILLIAM J. HUGHES, Secretary, of the International Insurance Company, of the City of New York, being duly sworn, depose and say, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct statement of the affairs of said Company; that the said Insurance Company is the bona fide owner of at least One Hundred Thousand Dollars of actual Cash Capital, invested in State and United States Stocks and Bonds, or in Bonds or Mortgages of Real Estate, unincumbered and worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged; and that they are the above named officers of said Insurance Company.

GEORGE W. SAVAGE, Pres't.
[L. S.] WILLIAM J. HUGHES, Sec'y.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 25th day of January, 1869. As Witness, my hand and official seal.

THOMAS L. THORNELL,
[L.S.] Notary Public.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NASHVILLE, January 1, 1869.

I, G. W. Blackburn, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the International Insurance Company, located at the city of New York, in the State of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said company have complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on insurance companies, and I further certify that S. R. CLARKE & CO., agents of said company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases:

Wherefore, said International Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Memphis, Tenn.

G. W. BLACKBURN,
Comptroller of Tennessee.

S. R. Clarke & Co.

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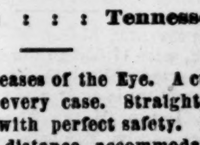
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MEMPHIS APPEAL.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 31.

TO SUBSCRIBERS OF THE APPEAL.

The friends of the APPEAL, *in consequence of the too frequent losses of remittances to us by mail, are requested to follow the instructions printed for the guidance of subscribers and intending subscribers, and* FORWARD SUBSCRIPTIONS EITHER BY REGISTERED LETTER, *by* POST OFFICE MONEY ORDER, *or by* AN ORDER ON BUSINESS HOUSES *in Memphis, New Orleans or Mobile. We cannot and will not be responsible to subscribers unless these instructions are followed. More than fifty complaints have reached us, within ninety days, of loss of subscription by mail: this we cannot redress, and so must insist upon the only remedy within our reach. We will not be responsible for subscriptions unless they are mailed to us in the way above set forth.*

AINSLIE, KEATING & CO.

"LET US HAVE PEACE"—"THE EMPIRE IS PEACE."

Gen. PIKE, the great statesman and lawyer, in many philosophic and able editorials published last year in the columns of the APPEAL, warned the people of the South and of the whole country, that unless the Democratic party succeeded last November, the remaining rights of the States would be swallowed in the Empire to which the centralizationists were hastening us. About the same time, a distinguished lawyer of this city, in the course of a lecture before the Southern Soldiers' Aid Society, took occasion, in tracing the effect of causes in the history of other nations, to suggest that events then transpiring pointed unmistakably to a change in our system of government more violent than was generally dreamed of. Similar prognostications have from time to time been given to the country by eminent statesmen and journalists, prominent among the former being Gen. FRANK P. BLAIR, who additionally charged that GRANT was the man selected to effect the *coup d'etat* meditated by the leaders of the Radical party. Since the election and GRANT'S inauguration, many of the Democratic, and not a few of the Republican journals have warned the public of the plain indications given by the President of a settled purpose looking to such a result. The enlistment as public officials of all his family and friendly relations (after the manner of LOUIS NAPOLEON); his distribution of troops, and retention, in high command, of only such officers as are personally his favorites; his opposition to any of the proposed Congressional schemes of reconstruction, with a view to the actual employment of troops among the only population, after those of the West, whom he fears as antagonistic to his purposes; his acquiescence in the transfer to Chicago of SHERIDAN, who detests the civil power; his selection of an imbecile and easily moulded Cabinet, and his intimacy with the shoddyites and nabobs of New York and Boston, all point to the end prophesied of and insisted upon by so many clear-sighted and almost prescient minds.

But what the people were thus so early warned of it, was not dreamed was a near result of movements so suggestive; indeed, many regarded these warnings of statesmen, lawyers and journalists, if not mere moonshine, at least as instigated by that spirit of party opposition that would distort the simplest fact into a fearful political crime in the ordinary course of manufacture of political capital. It was not dreamed of that a society was even then (November, 1868,) in operation, having for its aim the spread of doctrines and ideas favorable to the establishment of an Empire, with GRANT for Emperor. The rumors that prevailed in Philadelphia about the beginning of this month, that the Loyal League, of which the Secretary of the Navy (BORIE) is President, was actively engaged in feeling the pulse of certain great ones in that city, in contemplation of what is to come, were received with laughter and shrugs denoting either indifference or want of sagacity to penetrate events transpiring, or to appreciate the status of the parties enlisted in the treasonable scheme against the Republic. But what was thus received with derision proves to have been fact. It has just transpired in Philadelphia that in a few days we are to have the first number of the *Imperialist*, a journal which is to pave the way for the "Empire (which) is peace." The prospectus of this advertised organ of the Imperial party sets forth that "*its creed is revolutionary; its mission is to prepare the minds of the American people for the revolution that has already begun throughout the country.*"

It announces that it "*believes that the national faith, if left in the keeping of the populace, will be sullied by sure repudiation of the national debt, and that an Imperial Government can alone protect the rights of national creditors.*" That "*the Republic means lawlessness, corruption, insecurity to person and property, robbery of the public creditors and civil war; that the Empire means law, order, security, public faith and peace.*" This *Imperialist* will also be an advocate of GRANT for Emperor, and it has transpired, according to the New York *Citizen*, that it will be supported by a new secret organization—the "T. I. O."—which has recently sprung into existence simultaneously throughout the North and the West. That paper states that information of the fact of its existence was obtained from a gentleman who was urged to join this society, in order that he might bring himself within the favor of the President, and so be entitled to the office he sought. Thus we move to the end—"Let us have peace." "The Empire is peace."

THE COTTON TAX.

A number of our contemporaries have lately given publication to an error that is calculated to affect, perhaps injuriously, the great planting interest of the country. They assert that the cotton tax was merely suspended in favor of the crop of 1868. This is contradicted by the act its lf, which is as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled. That all cotton grown in the United States after the year 1867, shall be exempt from internal tax; and cotton imported from foreign countries, on and after November 1st, 1868, shall be exempt from duty.

Approved February 3, 1868.

THE Cairo *Evening Bulletin* did not suspend on account of the late burning of its premises. The issue for Saturday evening reached us yesterday morning, evidencing the character of the proprietor and editor—Mr. JOHN OBERLY—for energy and skill. The neat typography, that from the first indicated the taste of a master workman, still characterizes it.

By Telegraph

ARKANSAS.

No Adjournment of Legislature in Prospect.

Desperate Attempt at Suicide.

River, Weather, Arrivals, etc.

LITTLE ROCK, March 30.—Nothing was done in the Legislature of interest to-day. There is no probability of adjournment soon. The amount already appropriated for expenses of the Legislature are over two hundred and eighty thousand dollars.

J. L. Dawson, of Van Buren, Ark., made a desperate attempt to commit suicide in the presence of a crowd in front of the Anthony House this morning. He stabbed himself twice in the left breast, and threatened all who approached him. His wounds are said not to be mortal. Cause—delirium tremens.

Weather clear and pleasant.

Arrived—Van Buren and Argonaut from above, and T. H. Allen from Memphis. Departed—Argonaut.

River rising slowly. Six feet water above. B.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, March 30.—The Committee on Reconstruction, by a strict party vote, to-day agreed to report Butler's Georgia bill.

The entire mass of applications for positions under the Government, Ministers, Consuls, etc., has been classified and arranged at the State Department, and placed in regular order, according to the weight of recommendations appended to each. The appointments will be made from them, so as to give the several States their due proportion of them.

The Committee having charge of the Inauguration ball, held a meeting last evening, and resolved to donate the surplus fund to the purchase of Clark Mill's statue of Lincoln.

The President received several visitors this morning, and among them were Senators, Tipton, Corbett and Robertson.

At the Cabinet meeting to-day all the members were present.

Mr. Halsey was desired to accept the office of Register of the Treasury.

The President sent to the Senate today, in compliance with a resolution, the letter of Secretary Cass, giving his reasons for the resignation of the members of President Buchanan's Cabinet, and also Mr. Buchanan's reply.

About fifty Texas gentlemen appeared before the Reconstruction Committee this morning. Gov. Hamilton stated the case for the party, which asks to vote upon the new Constitution, and discussed the equal rights and suffrage clauses. Some conversation arose between the committee and the Speaker, as to the true meaning of the disfranchisement section, which is copied from the new Constitution of South Carolina. Gov. Hamilton contended that only those can vote who can hold office under the 14th amendment, that interpretation being questioned, and the member from South Carolina having remarked that no one is now a disqualified voter in South Carolina. Gov. Hamilton said "if that be the interpretation, so much the better."

Mr. Butler said "that is explicit enough."

Gov. Hamilton then spoke against all disqualifications as a permanency, and a further hearing was adjourned until Thursday.

WEATHER AND RIVERS.

LOUISVILLE, March 30.—The river is rising, with 17 feet in the canal.

Departed: Virginia, for New Orleans. The weather is clear and pleasant.

ST. LOUIS, March 30.—The river is rising steadily. The weather is clear and pleasant. No arrivals or departures.

CAIRO, March 30.—Up: Commonwealth, 8 a.m.; Baltic, 7 p.m. Down: Silver Moon, 4 p.m.; Belle St. Louis, 6 p.m.

The river rose 3 inches. The weather is clear and pleasant.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, March 30.—Another frightful accident occurred on the Toledo, Prairie and Warsaw Railroad at half-past twelve o'clock this morning, just east of Eureka. The eastern bound freight train while crossing the bridge, 300 feet long, near that place, was thrown from the track by a broken rail.

The engine was pitched from the bridge, turning completely over in its descent, and alighting on its wheels. Nine cars were detached and very badly damaged. The engineer was instantly killed, and the fireman severely injured.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, March 30.—The estimated loss by the cargos destroyed last night is $260,000 and on the boats $250,000.

The election for five Directors of the Pacific Railroad yesterday, resulted in the election of what was known as the Directors ticket, the vote being about 3 to 1.

PENNSYLVANIA.

GETTYSBURG, March 30.—The difficulty between the owner of the Springs here and the party to whom they were leased, has led the former to retake possession and the latter to threaten to use force to take them, for which the proprietor is prepared with an armed force, and trouble is anticipated.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Judge Barnard, of the Supreme Court, to-day issued an order directing the Sheriff to break open the safe of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, in order to get at the books and papers.

CONGRESSIONAL.

WASHINGTON, March 30.

HOUSE.

The appointment of a Conference Committee on the Tenure-of-Office Act, by the Senate, was announced, and Mr. Butler asked the unanimous consent of the House to act upon it, but Mr. Brooks objected.

A bill was reported to coin one, three and five cent pieces of nickel and copper, in the proportion of 25 to 23 per cent., and for the same to be a legal tender up to 50 cents.

The bill omits the clause in the former bill for suppressing the ten cent rates. The coinage will amount to about $20,000. After some discussion the bill passed.

The House then proceeded on the business of the Speaker's table, and took up the Senate's message asking a Conference Committee on the Tenure-of-Office bill.

Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, moved to agree to the request.

Mr. Schenck moved that the House recede from its disagreement to the Senate's amendment, which motion, he remarked, had precedence over every other motion.

Mr. Wood moved that the House insist on its disagreement.

The vote was first taken on Mr. Schenck's motion to recede, and resulted in yeas 60; nays 136. The House then voted to insist on its disagreement, and agreed to a Committee on Conference, and subsequently the Speaker appointed as such Committee, Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, Mr. Washburne, of Ohio, and Mr. Bingham, of Ohio.

The Senate bill in addition to the act of July 27, 1868, for removing political disabilities, was passed.

Mr. Dawes offered a concurrent resolution for a final adjournment of this session on the 6th of April at 12 o'clock, and said there could be no question of the readiness of both Houses to adjourn at that time, and to have finished all necessary business. The resolution was adopted without a division.

On motion of Mr. Butler the Constitution printed for the State of Texas was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Hooper called up the motion to reconsider the vote by which, on the 8th instant, the bill to amend the act of July 20, 1868, imposing taxes on distilled spirits and tobacco, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. The vote was reconsidered, and the bill came before the House for action. It amends section 8 in reference to the ownership of the real estate on which distilleries stand, by allowing, in certain cases, a bond to be taken. It amends section 20, by providing that in distilleries of a producing capacity of less one hundred gallons in twenty-four hours, and in which grain or meal is mashed by hand, or without the use of steam, and sixty gallons of mash or beer brewed from grain, shall represent not less than one bushel of grain. It amends section 56 by extending the time for drawing distilled spirits from bonded warehouses, until the 20th of April, 1870, subject to an additional tax of one per cent. per proof gallon per month. It amends section 57 by designating who shall be rectifiers. It amends section 59 by requiring all revenue taxes for packages of tobacco and snuff to be numbered in a continued series, for each collection districts. The second section requires a statement of the stock of tobacco, snuff or cigars manufactured prior to November 23, 1868, on which the tax has been paid but not stamped, to be made within sixty days.

Mr. Allison moved to strike out the paragraph in reference to the withdrawal of distilled spirits from bonded warehouses, and argued in advocacy of his motion. The discussion on that subject was participated in by Messrs. Kelly, Butler Logan, Garfield and others, and the motion was agreed to by nays 89, nays 49. The bill then passed without a division, and the House adjorned.

SENATE.

Mr. Wilson reported the joint resolution for the payment of pensions in person, and not through attorneys or claim agents, which was laid over.

The bill continuing the freedmen's hospitals at Richmond, Vicksburg and Washington was passed.

The motion to take up the House bill granting the right of way to the Memphis, El Paso and Pacific Railroad was under consideration until the expiration of the morning hour, and the currency bill was then taken up.

Mr. Sherman offered an amendment to the fourth section, providing that on the redistribution of the banking circulation, the requisitions shall commence with the banks having an excess of circulation exceeding $1,000,000; in States having an excess of circulation and having withdrawn one-third of this excess above $1,000,000 shall then proceed *pro rata* with the banks having a circulation exceeding $1,000,000. He said he had consulted the Secretary of the Treasury and the Comptroller of the Currency, who favored this course, which was designed to relieve the smaller banks in States from which the circulation was to be withdrawn. The amendment was agreed to.

The Currency bill was finally passed, and the Indian Appropriation bill was then taken up and discussed until the adjournment.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, March 30.—Cotton is freely ¼c better and decidedly more active. Sales 6000 bales, including 1300 bales in transit. Uplands 29@29½c. Flour $5 75@6 10. Corn 86@93c. Whisky quiet. Rice dull. Coffee firm. Cuba sugar 13@14½c. N O Molasses 75@76c.

Dry Goods—Rosedale's ⅞ brown cotton 8½c. Portsmouth A ⅞ do 10c. Cobat 4½c. Bleached 16c. Do 42-inch 19c. Swift river ticking 17c Amoskeag prints 11½c. Pacific and Sprague 12½c. Delaines 18@20c. American Alpaca 25c. Imported do 35c. Heavy sheetings 15½@16½c.

Money—The stringency has been more trying to-day to borrowers than on any day previous, since the pressure set in, but the rates were no higher than yesterday, but the money was very difficult of access, and most of the firms on the streets were compelled to pay the highest rates in order to make up their bank accounts. The outflow of currency continues. Sterling is dull. Prime bankers 7¾@8c. Sight bills 8¾@9½c, and quotations nominal at the close. There is considerable talk of importing gold from Europe, and already $1,000,000 in American coin is said to be on its way. Gold, during the morning, was firm. It opened at 31⅜, advanced to 31⅝ and fell to 31¼c.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, March 30.—Cotton is active and advanced ½c. Middlings 28½c. Receipts 3451 bales. Exports 500 bales. Gold 32c. Sterling 41¼c. Commercial paper 40@40½c. New York sight ⅜c premium. Flour dull; Supefine $5 60; XX $6; XXX $6 25. Corn dull at 70@73c. Oats higher at 65c. Bran $1 15. Hay firm; prime $27. Pork is dull at $33. Bacon firm; shoulders 14¼c; sides 17¼@17¾c. Lard, dull and nominal. Sugar dull; common 12c; prime 14c. Molasses, prime, 65@70c. Whisky nominal at 85@90c. Coffee firm; fair 14¾@15¼c; prime 17@17½c.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, March 30.—Tobacco active, sales 386 hhds at $4 70a15 50. Flour $5 50@6. Corn 65c. Oats 63@65c. Hay 21. Groceries unchanged. Bulk meats nominal. Bacon shoulders 13¼c; sides 18½@11¼c. Lard 18½c. Pork $32. Whisky 92c.

MARRIED.

FAIN—GLOVER—On the morning of March 30, 1869, at the residence of the bride's father, at Bartlett, Tenn., by the Rev. L. D. Mullins, Mr. ERNEST FAIN, of Rogersville, East Tennessee, to Miss SALLIE A. GLOVER, of Bartlett, Tennessee.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

COWLEY—At a called meeting of the Hibernian Mutual Relief Society, held at their hall, on the 30th day of March, 1869, the undersigned, who having been appointed a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the feelings of the Society in regard to the death of PETER COWLEY, one of its most esteemed and worthy members, submit that,

WHEREAS, It has pleased Divine Providence to remove from our midst, by death, PETER COWLEY, and we, the members of the Hibernian Mutual Relief Society, appreciating the many virtues by which he was endeared to us, deem it proper to offer the following tribute of respect to his memory:

Resolved, That whilst we bow in humble submission to the Divine Will which has called from earth our late fellow member, we sincerely mourn his loss to our Society; and that we tender the condolence and sympathy of the Society to his relatives.

P. J. MULVIHILL,
P. J. QUIGLEY,
WM. H. CODY.

NEW ADVERTISM'ENTS

MASONIC NOTICE.—The officers and members of South Memphis Lodge, No. 118, F. and A. M., are hereby notified to attend a special communication, this Wednesday evening, March 31st, at 7 o'clock, for work in the E. A. degree.
By order of A. J. WHEELER, W. M.
BEN. K. PULLEN, Sec'y. mh31

NEW VELOCIPEDE HALL,
In Adams Building,
On Second Street, near Adams.
The most animating and healthful exercise known of.
Price, 50 cents per hour.
Orders for Velocipedes taken at greatly reduced rates. mh31

Dissolution Notice.

WE, the undersigned, have this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, R. G. Bruce retiring. The style of the firm will be hereafter J. L. ESKRIDGE, who will settle all claims against the same.
J. L. ESKRIDGE.
R. G. BRUCE.
Coffeeville, Miss., March 23, 1869. mh31

SPRING GOODS
RECEIVED AND TO ARRIVE.
Gents' Boxed and Plain Calf, Glove Kid and Morocco
CONGRESS & LACE GAITERS
Ladies', Misses' and Children's,
Of all Colors and Styles
THE LATEST,
PEARL.
Something new and desirable at
WALLACE, VANPELT & GIBSON'S
mh31 269 1-2 Main Street.

Sale of Real Estate.

WHEREAS, by the provisions of a deed from J. D. Williams & Co. to Guiseppe Gallino and Bernado Cunio, dated 24th August, 1865, and recorded in Book 53, part 2d, page 327, the grantors have reserved to themselves a special lien on the property therein conveyed, waiving all equities and right of redemption, and also reserving to themselves, in case of default of payment of either or all of the notes executed by the grantees for the purchase money at the maturity thereof, the power to enter and resell the land conveyed in the said deed and executing to the purchaser a good and valid title free from all equities or right of redemption in the grantees; and whereas, a part of the purchase money is now due and unpaid, we, the undersigned, grantors in the above mentioned deed, do, in pursuance of the said provision therein, hereby give notice, that after thirty days from the date of this, to-wit: on the

First Day of May Next,

We will sell, on the premises, to the highest bidder, for cash, the lot set forth in the above deed, by metes and bounds, as follows: Beginning at stake in the north side of Beal street 372 feet from the intersection of the east side of De Soto street; thence with north line of Beal street east fifty-eight (58) feet to a stake; thence north two hundred and fifty (250) feet north to a stake; thence west and parallel with Beal street fifty-eight (58) feet; thence south two hundred and fifty (250) feet to beginning—being part of block 62, subdivision South Memphis.
mh31 s J. D. WILLIAMS & CO.

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of West Tennessee. In the matter of George H. Andrews, Bankrupt. In bankruptcy, District of West Tennessee—ss.
To whom it may concern:
The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of George H. Andrews, of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.
Memphis, Tenn., the 30th day of March, A. D., 1869. WILLIAM Y. CIRODE,
mh31 7 14 Assignee. Etc.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee.—In the matter of P. I. Huette & Co., bankrupts. In Bankruptcy, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register.
To the creditors of the above named bankrupts:
Take notice, that a third general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at the office of said Register, in the city of Memphis, in said District, on Wednesday, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1869, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.
W. Y. CIRODE, Assignee.
Memphis, March 30, 1869. mh31

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Arkansas. In the matter of Felix G. McGavock, Bankrupt. In bankruptcy, Eastern District of Arkansas.
To whom it may concern:
The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Felix G. McGavock, of —, in the county of Mississippi, and State of Arkansas, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.
Memphis, Tenn., the 23d day of March, A.D., 1869. W. S. PICKETT,
mh24 31 7 Memphis, Tenn.

Notice to Confederate Soldiers.

CONFEDERATE Soldiers who were prisoners of war at Camp Douglas, Chicago, Illinois, or the friends of such soldiers who were deprived of all or a portion of their money or property by the authorities of that camp under the plea of forfeitures or otherwise, will hear of something to their advantage by addressing the undersigned.
DANIEL G. KUME,
mh30 Postoffice Box 5807, Chicago, Illinois.

A FURNITURE FACTORY.

I WISH to get up a Stock Company with a cash capital of $50,000, to manufacture Furniture in this city. I can get machinery that cost $53,000 subscribed for $25,0.0 in stock. The surplus that could be sold from this would purchase a good portion of other machinery needed. Parties wishing to take stock will please address me, care Appeal office, stating amount they wish.
mh30 JAS. A. WIGGS.

CINCINNATI.

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NEW MEMPHIS THEATER
For Six Nights Only—Entertainment Extraordinary!
Wednesday Evening, March 31.—Third appearance of FRED. WILSON'S GREAT MINSTREL TROUPE. Change in programme, introducing the burlesque of Janauschek's My Deah, and Under the Lamp Post—Dock Scene, Pier 30 by Moonlight, and the thrilling Railroad scene.
Saturday, at 1 o'clock p.m.—GRAND MATINEE. Admission, 50 cents.
SCALE OF PRICES.—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Orchestra Chairs, $1 50; Family Circle, 50 cents; Colored Boxes, 50 cents; Colored Gallery, 25 cents.
Doors open at quarter to 7 o'clock; curtain will rise at 8 precisely. Box-book open from 10 o'clock a.m. to 5 p.m.

TABLEAUX VIVANTS
Thursday and Friday Nights.
Proceeds to Aid in the New Church Building. Admission, 50 Cents.
A SPECIAL TRAIN will run on the Mississippi Railroad from Hernando and return after the entertainment; also, the Elmwood street cars.
This is expected to be the most brilliant entertainment of the season. Programme to-morrow. mh31

GRAND CONCERT
FOR THE BENEFIT OF
ST. LAZARUS CHURCH
—AT THE—
NEW ASSEMBLY HALL
—ON—
Wednesday, March 31, 1869,
PERFORMERS:

Mrs. L. Czapski,	Mr. Henry Farmer,
Mrs. J. M. Keating,	Mr. H. G. Hollenberg,
Mrs. W. A. Goodman,	Mr. B. A. Hollenberg,
Mrs. J. L. Boylan,	Mr. A. M. Wilkinson,
Mrs. N. S. Otis,	Mr. F. Katzenbach,
Mrs. H. Hollenberg,	Mr. C. Kesmodel,
Miss E. Wilkinson,	Mr. W. F. Boyle,
Miss S. E. Massey,	Mr. E. S. Francis,
Mr. N. S. Otis,	Mr. Lee Herzog,
Mr. H. Davis,	Mr. J. Hobday,
Mr. H. T. Tomlinson,	Prof. Schulze,
	Mr. J. Nathan.

FRANK A. TEPE, - - Musical Director.
PROGRAMME.
PART I.
1. The God of Israel—Grand Chorus—Rossini.
2. Scena and Prayer—from Freischutz—Weber.
3. La Plainte—Violin, Organ and Piano ——.
4. Softly Treading—Grand Chorus, from Il Crociato—Meyerbeer.
5. My Queen—Solo—Blumenthal.
6. Cavatina de Mercadante—Two Flutes and Piano.
7. Al bel de tinchi attendivi—Duett—Linda.
PART II.
1. Phantom Chorus, from Somnambula—Bellini.
2. All thing are Beautiful—Duett—Glover.
3. Tell me my Heart—Solo—Bishop.
4. Hear us, O Father—Solo and Quartette—Owen.
5. Sixth Air Varie—Vio in and Piano—De Beriot.
6. Robert toi que jaime—Meyerbeer.
7. Blessed is the People—Grand Chorus—Righini.
Tickets, One Dollar—to be had at all the principal Music, Book and Drug Stores.
Doors open at 7 o'clock; concert to commence at 8¼. mh30

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—AND—
HOME AGAIN!
GREENLAW OPERA HOUSE,
Tuesday, March 30th,
First appearance since 1861 of
HARRY (THE GREAT) MACARTHY
and Troupe, composed of
Harry Macarthy, actor, author and mimic; Miss Lottie Estelle, accomplished danseuse and comedienne,
In their Personal Concerts, assisted by
Miss Annie Blake, the young and charming vocalist;
Mr. Tennebaum, Musical Director; and
Gus Gebers, Pianist.
Doors open at 7 o'clock; commence at 8 o'clock. Gallery, 50 cents; Parquette and Dress Circle, $1.
mh27 D. B. HODGES, Agent.

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PUBLIC SALE
OF A VALUABLE
LOT AND RESIDENCE
ON AVERY STREET, BY
MONSARRAT, LANIER & CO
ON NEXT THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1869, WE shall sell, at public auction, in front of our salesroom, No. 276 Second street, a beautiful LOT AND RESIDENCE, on the west side of Avery street, between Vance and Elliott streets. The lot fronts 67½ feet on Avery by a depth of 148 feet—part of Lot No. 1, in Block 8. Improvements a comfortable framed Residence, with five rooms, kitchen, cisterns, etc. Terms, one-half cash, balance in six and twelve months, with interest. The premises will be shown at any time upon application at our office. On the same day we shall sell several other pieces of valuable property in Memphis, which the owners are anxious to dispose of at low figures and upon easy terms.
MONSARRAT, LANIER & CO.,
mh28 Real Estate Brokers.

AUCTION.

HATS, BOOTS, SHOES
AND CUTLERY.
This Morning,
AT 10 O'CLOCK,
We will sell, without reserve, an invoice of
CUTLERY, HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES,
Just Received from New York.
The attendance of city and country merchants is invited.
ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.

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Auctioneers and Commission Merchants,
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HAVING established a house, as above, in connection with the old and well-known one in Memphis, respectfully solicit from their friends and customers a share of patronage for the new house, the connection, location and facilities of which render it a valuable medium for the transaction of any business there for residents of Memphis and vicinity.
Will be happy to see their friends at the old stand, No. 231 Second street, Memphis, the business of which will be attended to with their accustomed energy and reliability.
Liberal advances on consignments to both or either house. mh30

PUBLIC SALE
—OF—
BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE
ON COURT STREET,
By Monsarrat, Lanier & Co.
ON NEXT THURSDAY, APRIL 1st, AT 11 o'clock a.m., we shall sell, at public auction, in front of our salesroom, No. 276 Second street, a beautiful LOT AND RESIDENCE, situated at the southwest intersection of Court and Manassa streets. The lot fronts about 90 feet on Court by a depth of 185½ feet on Manassa street. The improvements consist of an elegant two-story Framed Residence, containing 8 or 10 rooms, a kitchen, servants' room, pantries, cisterns, etc., all new and under good fence, enclosing an excellent garden spot on the west side of the lot. Persons desirous of purchasing are especially invited to examine the premises before the day of sale—the same will be shown at any time upon application at our office or upon the premises.
TERMS—One-fourth cash, balance in one, two and three years, with interest.
We shall also, at the same time and place, proceed to sell several other valuable pieces of Real Estate in Memphis, which the owners are anxious to dispose of at low figures. Sales to commence promptly at 11 o'clock a.m., in front of our salesroom.
MONSARRAT, LANIER & CO.,
mh25 Real Estate Brokers.

MAIN STREET STORES
At Auction.
ON THURSDAY, APRIL 1st,
We will sell, on the premises, to the highest bidder, that valuable and commodious STORE-HOUSE, No. 370, IN THE PROVINE BLOCK, at the northeast corner of Main and Gayoso streets, and No. 368, being the next adjoining Store. These houses are built upon lots fronting about 22 feet on Main street, by a depth of about 94 feet—are four stores, the ground floors being designed for Stores and the upper stories for offices, sleeping-rooms or for families—dry and fine cellars to both houses.
The buildings are under rent until 1st October to good tenants, and must always command full prices.
TERMS OF SALE—One-half Cash, balance in twelve months, with interest.
Royster, Trezevant & Co.,
mh17 d&w AUCTIONEERS.

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GOODBAR & GILLILAND,
Exclusive Wholesale Dealers in
BOOTS AND SHOES,
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We are now receiving our Spring Stock, to which we invite the particular attention of all merchants. mh7

F. G. TERRY. WM. B. MITCHELL
TERRY & MITCHELL,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
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WE ARE RECEIVING THE LARGEST Spring Stock we ever purchased.
We buy for Cash, of manufacturers only.
We can sell goods at as low prices as they can be had from other markets.
We solicit the trade of MERCHANTS ONLY.
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HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM NEW York, where I have made selections from the latest importations of FRENCH MILLINERY GOODS,
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The selection of FLOWERS, ORNAMENTS, STRAW TRIMMINGS, etc., has never been surpassed in this market. The stock is complete in every department.
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KNICKERBOCKER MUTUAL LIFE INS. CO.,
AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE,
OFFICE, No. 18 KNICKERBOCKER BUILDING.
ASSETS, : : : : : : $5,000,000
Policies Issued and Losses Paid at the Memphis Office.
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75 PIECES Three-ply, Two-ply, and other qualities of Carpets.
60 PIECES Canton, White, Red and White Checked and Fancy Mattings, Cocoa Mattings, Etc.
$10,000 worth of Curtain Materials and Trimmings, English, Damasks, Reps, French and English Terrys, plain and with silk stripe—new and very desirable patterns; Brussels and Nottingham Lace Curtains.
We are in receipt of a full supply of Goods especially for the Spring Trade.
Special attention given to Window Decorating.
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THE CELEBRATED CHAMPION,
WITH WROUGHT IRON OVEN,
THE GREAT STOVE OF THE DAY.
THE CHAMPION is heavy and durable.
THE CHAMPION is admirably fitted.
THE CHAMPION has a Mammoth Oven.
THE CHAMPION has a Portable Reservoir, porcelain lined inside—will not rust.
THE CHAMPION has a Sliding Damper on the top of stove, which completely controls heat of the stove.
THE CHAMPION is simple in its construction, and Very easily managed.
THE CHAMPION is rapidly going into general use.
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THE CHAMPION is made of the best quality of Hanging Rock Charcoal Iron, universally admitted to be the best iron in the world; and the only cast stove made with wrought iron oven—the bottom and back oven and plates being made of heavy wrought iron, so heavy that they cannot be broken or cracked, and the heat cannot warp them. Call and examine THE CHAMPION before purchasing. This Stove is only for sale by
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Dealers and Manufacturers of Stoves, Tinware, Copper and Sheet-iron Ware. House Furnishing Goods, Nos. 13 and 15 Monroe Street.

INSURANCE.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
— OF THE —
ÆTNA
INSURANCE COMPA'Y
OF NEW YORK,
—ON THE—
1st Day of January, 1869,
MADE TO THE
Comptroller of the State of Tennessee,
Pursuant to the Statutes of that State.

NAME AND LOCATION:
The name of the Company is the Ætna Insurance Company of New York, was incorporated in 1824, and is located at No. 170 Broadway, New York.

CAPITAL:
The amount of capital stock all paid up in cash, is............$300,000

ASSETS:

Cash on hand and in Bank	$12,004 77
United States and State Bonds—market value	231,802 50
Debts due the Company, secured by mortgage, worth more than double	101,9?0 00
Loans on call, amply secured	82,500 00
Debts for premiums	5,848 50
All other securities	4,146 89
Total assets	$437,452 66

LIABILITIES:

Liabilities due and not due to Banks and other creditors	$5,200 00
Losses adjusted and due	None
Losses adjusted and not due	1,000 00
Losses unadjusted	5,520 00
Losses in suspense waiting further proof	None
All other claims against the Company (rent not due)	875 00
	$12,595 00

Greatest amount insured in any one risk, $15,000.
The amount allowed to be insured in any one city, town, village or block, discretionary.
The Charter or Act of Incorporation of said Company, March 31, 1824.

State of New York, County of New York—ss.
H. B. Beach, Vice President, and O. S. Bogert, Secretary of the Ætna Insurance Company of New York, being duly sworn, depose and say, that the foregoing is a full, true and correct statement of the affairs of said Insurance Company, and that they are the above described officers thereof.
H. C. BEACH, Vice Prest.
O. S. BOGERT, Secretary.
Sworn and subscribed before me, this 14th day of January, 1869.
[L.S.] FRANCIS B. ANTZ,
Notary Public, New York County.

STATE OF TENNESSEE,
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NASHVILLE, January 1, 1869.
I, W. G. BLACKBURN, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Ætna Fire Insurance Company, located at New York, in the State of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies; and I further certify that H. T. Tomlinson, Agent of said Company, has also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases:
Wherefore, said Ætna Fire Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Memphis, Tenn.
G. W. BLACKBURN,
Comptroller of Tennessee.

H. T. TOMLINSON, AGENT,
No. 17 Madison Street.
mh28 MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

NOTICE.
OFFICE MEMPHIS CITY RAILROAD CO.,
MEMPHIS, March 25, 1869.
The semi-annual interest on the bonds of this Company, due April 1, 1869, will be paid at the office of the Company, in this city, No. 421 Main street, and at the Fourth National Bank, New York city.
mh26 J. G. SMITH, Treasurer.

INSURANCE.

Statement of the Condition
—OF THE—
LIVERPOOL & LONDON AND GLOBE
INSURANCE CO.,
On the 31st of December, 1868.

THE name of the Company is the LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. It is located in the cities of Liverpool and London, with a Branch Office in the city of New York.
The amount of its Capital Stock is $2,800,000 00
The amount of its Capital Stock paid up in gold is 1,958,766 00
The gold assets of the Company are 17,390,890 00

The Assets of the Company in the United States are as follows:

Cash on hand and in the hands of Agents or other persons			$191,447 79
Real estate unencumbered			265,722 82
Bonds owned by the Company, to wit:	par val.	mark. val.	
U. S. 6 per ct. 5-20s	$467,000	$504,360 00	
U. S. 5 per ct. 10-40s	160,000	166,400 00	
Virginia State 6 per cent Bonds	53,000	23 009 50	
			693,769 50
Loans on Bond and Mortgage being first lein on unincumbered Real Estate, worth double the amount loaned			994,555 00
Debts otherwise secured, bills receivable			5,350 00
Debts for premiums			93,820 37
All other securities			none.
Total Assets in United States			2,242,466 48

Liabilities in the United States.

Amount due or not due to banks or other creditors	none.
Losses adjusted and due	none.
Losses adjusted and not due	none.
Losses unadjusted	20,000 00
Losses in suspense, waiting for further proof	111,074 00
All other claims against the Company	none.
Total Liabilities	131,074 0

The greatest amount insured in any one risk.
The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company to be insured in any one city, town or village.
The greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block.
According to circumstances and the nature of the risk.
(Signed) ALFRED PELL, Jr.,
Resident Secretary.

STATE OF TENNESSEE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
Nashville, January 1, 1869.
I, G. W. BLACKBURN, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co., located at New York in State of New York, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies, and I further certify that S. R. CLARKE & CO., Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases:
Wherefore, said Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co. has authority to take risks and transact the business of insurance in this State, at Memphis, Tenn.
[SEAL.] G. W. BLACKBURN,
Comptroller of Tennessee.

S. R. Clarke & Co.
AGENTS,
No. 18 Knickerbocker Building,
Madison Street,
MEMPHIS, ; : : TENNESSEE.
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A. O. SHULTZ,
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Locksmith, Safemaker and Machinist,
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Established in Memphis 1856.
BURGLAR and Fire-proof Safes made and repaired.
Light Machinery, Printing Presses, etc., repaired.
Iron Doors, Shutters and Vaults made.
Locks repaired or made to order.
Bells hung and repaired.
ALL WORK GUARANTEED.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT. HENRY G. SMITH is a candidate for the office of Judge of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, at the election to be held on the 24th of May, 1869. mh27

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.—S. P. YEOMANS is a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney for Municipal Court at the May election. mh24

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL.—EDITORS APPEAL: You are hereby authorized to announce me as a candidate for Attorney-General of the Criminal Court, at the May election, subject to the action of a Democratic convention, should one be held. GEO. E STAHL. mh21

FOR JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT. We are authorized to announce G. P. FOUTE as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of Memphis at the ensuing May election. mh18

FOR CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.—We are authorized to announce the Hon. GEO. W. REEVES as a candidate for Judge of the Circuit Court of the 15th Judicial Circuit, at the ensuing May election. mh18

WE are authorized to announce J. P. CARUTHERS as a candidate for the office of Chancellor of this county, at the election to be held in May next. mh16

FOR JUDGE OF THE CRIMINAL COURT. To the voters of the Criminal Court District: I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election as Judge of that Court, on the fourth Thursday in May. J. T. SWAYNE. mh14

FOR JUDGE OF THE LAW COURT.—We are authorized to announce ISAAC MORRISON as a candidate for Judge of the Law Court of Memphis at the approaching May election. mh14

FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT. We are authorized to announce the name of Hon. GEORGE ANDREWS, present incumbent, for the office of Judge of the Supreme Court from the Eastern Division, at the approaching judicial election. mh14

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FOR RENT.—Two Cottages on Vance street, two Stores on Poplar, a Dwelling on Hernando street. Apply to A. CORDES, Bethel Block. mh28

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BOARD.—Persons desiring board in a private family, can obtain pleasant rooms, or day board, in a convenient part of the city. Address X. Y. Z., Appeal office. Reference required. mh29

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CITY MATTERS.

JOB LOT of Corsets at $1 each, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

JOE LOCKE, 236½ Main street, has the latest news always on hand. †

FOR a good drink, go to Weatherbee's. †

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THE GERMAN NATIONAL BANK, of this city, draws direct on all the principal cities in England, Ireland, Scotland, France, Germany and Italy, in sums to suit purchasers. †

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DRESS GOODS, 25 cents per yard, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

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CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Patterson Case.

The Court, consisting of 'Squires Hill and Griffith, assembled at half-past nine o'clock. The argument in regard to the admission of the affidavit, published yesterday in the APPEAL, was resumed, Gen. Wallace being yet to hear from.

The General being hoarse and feeble, said he would not occupy the attention of the Court long, and he consequently did not speak but an hour and forty minutes. At the close of his argument the Court decided not to admit the document in question (the affidavit) for the present, but to hold it over for future action. The examination of witnesses for the prosecution was then proceeded with, the first one called being Felix Brown, colored, who, being sworn, deposed as follows:

"My name is Felix Brown; I live at Mr. Dickens'. Have been there three years. I lived there last year. I know Mr. Patterson, and knew Green Wilson. I saw them together once. It was on Front Row in Memphis, last October. Don't remember the date; but it was the last of October. Old man Dickens was at home in the country at the time, but he left on the following Sunday. Patterson and Wilson were together on Friday. I think Mr. Dickens went to Missouri. He was gone two months, as near as I can recollect. I did not hear any of the conversation which took place between Patterson and Wilson—not a word they said."

Gen. Sale at this point requested permission of the Court to introduce a portion of the affidavit as testimony, and read the part which he wished to introduce, viz:

"Thompson told me at that time, and in presence of Patterson, that there was bushels of money in it, and that the money was not to be made but was already made, and asked 'what need we care so we get the money?' A short while after this, in October, 1868, I met Patterson in Memphis, and he asked me what I would take to 'knock old man Dickens' chunk out;' for me to say how much, and he would pay me down, money in hand."

Objection was made by the defense, and Gen. Sale withdrew his motion for the present, and the testimony of Felix Brown proceeded with.

"I had no conversation with Patterson that day; he merely asked me who came in town with me. I said Green Wilson. He asked where Wilson was. I looked round, but did not see him; I saw his horse, and said yonder is his horse. Just as I said so, Wilson came walking slow across the street. He had been sick, and was sick then. He went up to Wilson, and the two went down into a saloon."

Ques. by Defendant.—"What saloon."

Ans.—"I don't know the name, but it was on the corner of Front and Washington."

Gen. Sale—"Um-um. Good place to go, that—Mad. Vincent's; been there myself."

Cross examined by defendant.—"I am about twenty-one years old. I was raised in Missouri; have been here, or hereabout, nine years. I have lived with Dickens pretty much all my life; he raised me; he sent me from Missouri to his son Will Dickens, who is now dead. I lived with Patterson (who married Dickens' widow,) six months. I have known Wilson twelve months. He stayed at old man Dickens'. He did nothing that I know of. He worked in the garden a little in summer—not much. I don't know where he was from. He went there first—as near as I can recollect about February a year ago. He stayed there all the time when not in Memphis. I don't know his business. Sometimes he came with me and sometimes on horseback, alone. He had no room at Dickens', but stayed in the old man's room. Nobody spoke to me as to giving testimony, except to let me know that I had to come here and swear. That was yesterday (Monday), while I was in town. I had come in for some sweet potatoes. Neither Dr. Dickens nor his father talked to me, or told me anything about what I should say. That gentleman (pointing to Mr. Sale) asked me if I saw Wilson. He told me to come up here to-day, and to tell all I knew. He found me on the corner, below here. Dr. Dickens never talked to me. Wilson and I came to town together pretty often. I worked in the garden and the orchard. Remember the time that Wilson and Patterson met was in October, from the fact that I brought in my first bale of cotton on that day. Last month was *April*. I came in town several—maybe ten times. Don't know the month when I came the first time; nor second; nor third; nor seventh. Don't know dates. Gen. Sale here suggested that Col. Hallum should ask him when Lent will begin next year. "I know other months in the year beside October." Q by Col. Hallum. "Did you mention Juvember?" A. "I don't think I did." Q. By same—"Well, did you say anything about Octember?" A. —"Don't know any such month." Gen. Sale—"Oh, that's only Hallum's way of pronouncing it." "October is the first fall month. Don't think it's either the beginning or the end of year. I have talked with nobody about the matter. I don't know the nature of an oath. I know I would go to hell if I told a lie." Sale—"To an *awful* hell?" "Yes, sir. I saw Patterson about two hours and a half by sun. Don't remember seeing him talk to other persons that day. I saw Wilson talk to people along in the summer. Neither Wilson nor I were drunk that day. Never saw Wilson drunk. Seen him tight. I am well acquainted with Patterson and Wilson. Patterson always spoke to me when he met me. He never inquired about the settlement (the people at Dickens')."

Cross examined by Gen. Sale for the State.—"I believe if I tell a lie here I will go to hell." Q. "Is hell in your opinion a hot or a cold place?" A. "Hot." Gen. Sale: "There, gentlemen, you see he is an orthodox Christian. "Didn't notice letters or papers in Patterson's hand. Heard him say that he had heard from Thompson, and that he had received some depositions in a long *con*velope. [Objected to, and objection sustained on the ground that it was new matter]

George Washington (colored) sworn.—"I live on Poplar street, near Col. Herbert's. I lived last summer at Wilkin's, near Pinch, at the Pleasure Garden. Have lived in Memphis between two and three years. Came here from Aberdeen, Monroe county, Miss. I know Patterson by sight. I see him now—there he is. I have not known him long. I knew him last summer—saw him then. There was another gentleman with him. Mr. John Curlin was the other gentleman. They talked to me on some business the time that I saw them. They wanted me to go out on the other side of Raleigh to a church, and then in a certain direction (here witness explained by an imaginary diagram on the floor the position of the church, Thos. Dickens' house, etc.,) about half a mile to a house. A man lived in that house that he wanted us to kill. The man's name was Dickerson or Dickens. Mr. Curlin introduced me to the man that wanted this done. There he sits (pointing to Patterson.) He told me that he would give me four hundred dollars to do it. He said he (Curlin) was responsible for the money, that it came from Patterson. I did go. A colored boy named Charley Green, and Mr. Curlin, went with me. Mr. Curlin carried us on horses. We were armed with a double barreled shot gun and two pistols. As we crossed a creek between here and the church, we shot off the old loads and loaded the guns fresh. We didn't go through Raleigh, but around it. We put Green off about as far as from here to that building (sixty rods) from the church. We went by the house before dark to show us the right man to kill. As we rode by, the old man was sitting outside the house with another man, who had no whiskers. Curlin pointed out the old man. We did not come back by the house, but around back by the church to where Charley (Green) was. We then got on the horses and rode down to a bluff, where we stayed until it was dark, when we came back to the branch, where we also stayed awhile. Curlin then told me and Green to take the guns and pistols and go do the work—go and kill the old man. We went on to the church, where we stopped; he took the horses and rode off. At the church we took out some bread and cheese and ate some. After I got done eating I did not feel like the work. I told Green if he wanted to do the killing he could take the gun and go and do it. I told him that murder is bound to be found out anyhow, and if we went and killed this old man that we would be lying in jail while they would be walking around the streets free with money in their pockets. We concluded that we would not do it, and we raised a window of the church, got in and slept there all night, until about an hour by day, when we ate again and then started home. On the way back shot off the gun. When I got in town I brought the gun to where I board. I was arrested a few days after on suspicion of stealing, and while at Station house told Sergeant Brown to go to my house and get my gun as a forfeit. He did so; somebody redeemed the gun afterward. I did not. I don't know who did. (Here 'Squire Griffith said the matter related was irrelevant and unnecessary, but the counsel assured him it was very important, and the witness proceeded.) Curlin came down to the garden to get his pistol, and he asked why we did not do the work. Told him that I thought he could do better; that the old man never did anything to me. After that we were at the Bayou bridge on the Raleigh road, one day, and John Curlin offered me four hundred and fifty dollars to do the work, and said the money would be good. I told him he could not give me money enough to do it. I went out first, with no intention of doing the work; I hoped to get some money in advance; that was the reason why I promised to go out. * * * The pistols were revolvers, six shooters, with handles washed with silver; the gun was a heavy, long double-barrel. I was never out in that region before. The church is frame—is a half mile from the old man's house, and three and a half beyond Raleigh."

Cross examined by the defence.—Am a cook—a baker; have worked at Berton's, on Poplar street, at the Worsham, and at the Overton. * * * Fed myself all the time, until I got sick; have been sick nine or ten months; lived with a friend, Joe Porter, (colored). I was once in the county jail; I was there under suspicion of breaking into Rocco's; was there eight days; was cleared. That was the first and last time. Never broke into a house in my life; defy anybody to prove any such thing. * * * Have been in the station house for fighting, several times. * * Don't know how long I have known John Curlin; got acquainted with him in the ordinary way—in my *rotations* around town. Can't read; don't know the date when I left Mississippi; never was charged with crime there. I met John Curlin at the Bayou bridge, on the Raleigh road; can't tell what month; it was last year, before Christmas; can't tell how often I have seen Curlin. * * He told me that a man wanted to see me. He did not tell me what he wanted to see me for until we were in the presence of this gentleman (pointing to Patterson). He introduced me to Patterson, and said I was the gent he (Patterson) wanted to see. He introduced me as "Aberdeen." This is a nick-name I have got. I am certain this is the man. Didn't get mad when Patterson said he wanted me to kill a man. Of course I would have taken the money and used it. Nobody would refuse money; I would have taken it and the gun, too, but would not kill anybody. Did not tell Curlin that I wanted the money in advance, because I supposed he knew his business. * * The first arrangement was, that Curlin was to do the shooting, and I and Charles Green were to hold the horses. Curlin was to go up to the window and shoot him while at his supper. When we got out there we found that Curlin was to hold the horses and we do the shooting. Green was at the bridge with us. I was not at the garden when Curlin came. Green was there. I came in afterward and talked with him, but he did not tell us what he wanted until we got to the bridge. Were walking. We met Patterson the last time at the bridge over bayou on Raleigh road. That was three days after we came back. Curlin asked us why we didn't do that work. Patterson was present. I said I didn't feel *exposed*, beside, I didn't know how to shoot a gun, and then if I had have done it they would be running around the streets free, with money in their pockets, while we would be in jail. * * I talked with Col. Gantt, Gen. Sales, and that man (Dr. Dickens) yesterday for the first time. They never said anything to me, but told me to tell all I knew straight out. * * I did not know the man I was to kill until he was pointed out. There were two men there, and it was the old man that was pointed out; was at the house which John said was his; house was about thirty paces from the road; they were together, sitting on the porch, in the evening, when pointed out; it was not yet sundown. Green and I rode a yellow horse, "double," and Curlin a cream colored pony. We had one gun and two pistols; Curlin carried gun and one pistol, and I carried other pistol. It was 9 a.m. when we left town. Bought a loaf of bread, some crackers and cheese at a grocery. * * Don't know where we crossed Wolf river; didn't see any river, not big enough for a steamboat, at least. Stopped at bridge, and Curlin went in bathing. * * There were no houses or clearings about the bridge." (Here followed a long cross questioning about an attempt to steal a watermelon, and the moral points involved in watermelon stealing.) Curlin is in jail, so I hear. It was dark when he left us; we left the church about daylight. Got back to Memphis about one o'clock in the day. [Here followed another long and tedious cross-examination about the visits of the witness to a sweetheart of his, of no relevancy to the case]. I know a man named Gus. Don't know whether he is named Gus Williams or not. I knew Gen. Wallace. I know him because he used to be *persecuting* attorney at the Criminal Court. Saw 'Gus' along with Taylor Stacks. Taylor asked me what I was doing here. Said I was subpœnaed to give testimony. I did not talk to Gus anywhere yesterday at all. * * Yonder stands a man that I told this whole affair to long ago—his name is Joe Porter. I told him all about the offer." [Here Joe Porter was called up at request of the prosecution, and sworn for rebutting testimony]. After some further cross questioning from State, Col. Gantt stated that there was a question which he would like to ask the witness—one that had been forgotten. Permission of the Court was given and he asked the witness if Curlin and Patterson had given any reason why they wished old man Dickens killed.

Ans.—"They told me Dickens was a negro trader in rebel times and that a man in Missouri owed him large sums of money for negroes bought then. This man wanted him killed to get rid of paying these debts. John Curlin told me this at the time on the bridge. The offer of $450 was to assist in killing the old man."

The Court adjourned till nine o'clock this morning.

Miscellaneous.

—There were eighteen arrests in the First, and seven in the Second District during the twenty-four hours ending at six o'clock yesterday evening.

—Officer E. Foehring, of the Second District, was yesterday discharged from the force for neglect of duty and general inefficiency.

—Henry Henderson was arrested with a lock and strap on his person—swindling devices.

—John Smith (romantic name) assaulted a fellow named Grant with an ax yesterday, about two o'clock. Grant had a pair of Derringers, and had come to Smith's house to whip Mrs. Smith; so we think that John was quite right in assaulting Grant, as the latter is some kin to the General. Smith, however, occupies a ticklish position.

ALL linen towels, $1 50 per dozen, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

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THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER R. R.

Report of the Chief Engineer of the Preliminary Survey to Covington.

Remarkable Statements.

We are indebted to Col. A. S. Mitchell for a copy of the following report of Capt. Millington, Chief Engineer of the Mississippi River Railroad, of the survey from the initial point to Covington, Tipton county, Tenn. It represents a most satisfactory state of affairs, and makes some remarkable statements. It will repay a careful perusal:

COVINGTON, TIPTON CO., TENN., March 22, 1869.

Col. A. S. Mitchell, President Mississippi River Railroad:

Dear Sir: The engineering party engaged in making preliminary surveys for the Mississippi River Railroad reached Covington on Saturday last.

In accordance with your instructions to ascertain the "shortest and best route, both as regards alignment and grade, between Memphis and Covington,"—the first objective point mentioned in the charter,—I have made a careful examination and instrumental survey of the country to be passed over, and find that although it is generally rolling, and in places hilly, especially the ridges dividing the Wolf and Loosahatchie rivers, and between Loosahatchie and Big Creek, a line can be obtained with a maximum gradient of forty-seven feet per mile, and that for only short distances, and with remarkably light curvature. It will not be necessary to adopt a curve of less radius than 1910 feet.

The length of the surveyed line, from its initial point, near the plank road bridge, over Wolf river, to Covington, is 34 73 100 miles. An air line between these points, measures 34 66 100 miles, showing the railroad line to be only 400 feet longer than an air line.

Much of the heaviest work shown on the profile, can be avoided in the final location without increasing the grade, and with but slight increase of length and curvature, should it be deemed expedient to do so. The maximum grade used is less than on any other road in Tennessee, of equal length, which, in addition to the very light curvature, and close approximation in length to an air line, will ensure such speed, economy and safety in the transportation of freight and passengers as will defy successful competition.

Very respectfully,
THOS. H. MILLINGTON,
Chief Engineer M. R. R. R.

STAMMERING CURED.

Dr. N. A. Moses, formerly of North Carolina,

Respectfully tenders his services to the public, to cure Stammering or Impediments in Speech. He feels no hesitation in announcing that he can do it without fail, and will warrant a cure in all cases if his rules and directions are strictly followed. The time required to effect a cure is generally from one to two hours, and his terms are reasonable. Dr. Moses will dispose of receipts to practice to others. He may be found at Memphis until the 10th of April, after which time he will be found in New Orleans.

CERTIFICATES:

STANLEY COUNTY, N. C.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that N. A. Moses, Esq., is a respectable and worthy citizen of our county, and that he himself was long subject to the misfortune of Stammering. He can impart a set of rules to cure this difficulty in speaking, which, if properly observed, will cure any stammerer.

Marvel Kirk, Sheriff.	J. M. McCorkle, Co. Sol.
A. Almond, Esq.	W. P. Wooley, C. S. C.
Col. E. W. Davis.	J. Hearne, Esq.
A. C. Freeman.	R. Harris, C. C. C.
H. D. Kendall, Esq.	Eben Hearne.
J. F. Stone.	

MEMPHIS, March 29, 1869.

I do hereby certify that I was very well acquainted with Dr. N. A. Moses many years ago, who then suffered himself with stammering very badly. Having become cured, is now practicing the art of curing others. I most cheerfully recommend all those afflicted to call on him and be cured.

J. C. DAVIS,
Firm of Davis & Stewart, No. 276 Front st.

My son, eleven years old, was placed under the treatment of Dr. N. A. Moses for impediment in his speech. He has been cured, and I think radically; but his rules must be observed and adhered to. Dr. Moses is a native of North Carolina, the State of my nativity, and I think him a candid, honest man, and can cheerfully recommend him to all persons afflicted with this troublesome malady. Indeed, many young men whose articulation is merely imperfect or indistinct, would be greatly benefitted by his lessons.

JAS. M. WILLIAMSON,
President Memphis Gas Light Company.

MEMPHIS, March 29, 1869.

My little son, now in his seventh year, has been stammering somewhat for about two years. He has had two lessons of an hour each from Dr. Moses, and is *nearly cured*. I think that a reasonable adherence to his rules will make a permanent cure.

WM. H. STEPHENS,
Attorney at Law.

MEMPHIS, March 28, 1869.

This is to certify that Dr. N. A. Moses has cured us of stammering in the city of Memphis, which fact it gives us great pleasure to state, and to recommend to him all those who are similarly afflicted.

NOBLE LINDSEY,
WATSON SIMS,
JACOB HAUPT,
With Scheibler & Co., 203 Main street.

MEMPHIS, March 30, 1869.

I hereby recommend Dr. N. A. Moses to those afflicted with impediment in speech, believing his system to be the *only* one calculated to give relief, or effect a permanent cure.

N. A. VAN PELT,
269½ Main street.

MEMPHIS, March 29, 1869.

I have been greatly benefitted by Dr. N. A. Moses' system, and believe if I fully practise his instructions, will be entirely cured.

THOS DAY,
Firm of Forster, Kealhofer & Co.

MEMPHIS, March 29, 1869.

I have been under the treatment of Dr. N. A. Moses, for impediment in my speech for some days, and take pleasure in recommending him to fellow sufferers. My case is an obstinate one, but I have been greatly benefitted, and believe will be cured.

JOHN L. COCKE,
With Newton, Ford & Co.

LARGE lot of white and fancy Marseilles quilts, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

DIE MODENWELT, for April, and all other fashion and literary monthlies, weeklies and dailies, can be found at Joe Locke's, 236½ Main street. †

ST. NICHOLAS RESTAURANT, No. 38 North Court street, is open day and night, and will furnish meals at all hours. The freshest food and latest delicacies always served up.
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SPRING suits beautifully dyed and repaired at the Memphis Steam Dyeing Establishment, 262 Second street. †

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HO FOR THE RACES.—Parties of twenty or over will be taken by rail to New Orleans and back during the races at $18 each for the round trip. Tickets good for ten days. Names to be left at Sam. Shock's, Crescent Saloon, No. 155 Main street, next door north of Overton Hotel. ‡

PRINTED Irish linens, very cheap, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

ALL wool cassimeres at 75 cents per yard, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

AMUSEMENTS.

THE NEW MEMPHIS.—A full house greeted Fred Wilson's incomparable minstrels last night, and all hands were kept in a constant glee from the rolling up of the curtain until it finally dropped. The quartette singing of Fredericks, Kelly, Dana and Kemble, is as fine as any we ever listened to anywhere, and some of their ballads were exquisite. Barry and Fred Wilson carry off no small share of the hours. The company number eighteen or twenty performers, not one of whom wold be classed as second rate on any boards.

ST. LAZARUS CONCERT.—It would seem almost superfluous to call the attention of our music-loving and concert-attending people to the fact that the concert for the benefit of St. Lazarus Church takes place to-night at the New Assembly Hall. Almost all of the well known musical talent of our city, amateur and professional, are announced as taking part in it, and the programme embraces some of the most brilliant gems of musical composition. The programme is in another column.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH CONCERT.—The repetition last night of the concert for the benefit of the Linden street Church (given Monday night) was a grand success, financially and otherwise. The house was crowded, and everything passed off admirably, the audience being delighted with the affair as a whole, music, charades and tableaux. We congratulate the ladies on their success.

HARRY MACARTHY'S troupe performed last night to a very slim house, which was, no doubt, owing to the many attractions elsewhere; for his name is so well known in the South, that, except under extraordinary circumstances, such as last night, he can always draw a full house. Harry is a splendid performer, doing perfect justice to everything he undertakes. He is worth going to see, and we hope the Greenlaw Opera House will be crowded to-night.

THE GAIETY.—Mr. Leon de Berger, notwithstanding his severe injuries, nightly is encored to the skies at the Gaiety. Manager Elly is striving in every way to make his show the best in the country. The preparations for the grand spectacle are in progress and will soon be completed. Bob Hart makes things walk a chalk line in his department, and there is not a better managed stage in the country anywhere than that under his charge at the Gaiety.

IMPORTANT SALE.—Messrs. Royster, Trezevant & Co., as will be seen by advertisement, will sell to-day on the premises, at auction to the highest bidder, a valuable and commodious storehouse in the Provine Block, No. 370 Main street, and the adjoining store, No. 368, being the northeast corner of Main and Gayoso. These houses are built upon lots fronting about 22 feet on Main street, by a depth of about 94 feet—are four stories, the ground floors being designed for stores and the upper stories for offices, sleeping rooms or for families—dry and fine cellars to both houses. The buildings are under rent until 1st October, to good tenants, and must always command full prices. Terms of sale—One-half cash, balance in twelve months, with interest.

TEN-QUARTER bleached sheeting, 50 cents per yard, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

SILKS and dress goods of every material cleaned and dyed at the Memphis Steam Dyeing Establishment, 262 Second street. †

THAT CORN—THAT DREADFUL CORN. Dr. Lane, the celebrated Surgeon Chiropodist, now at the Peabody Hotel, is earning for himself the very highest encomia of our citizens who have been under his treatment for corns, bunions, callosities, excretions, etc. All unite in saying that his method of treating these most painful and annoying things in the list of ills which flesh is heir to, is the most rapid, painless and thorough that they have yet known of. Dr. Lane may be consulted at his rooms at the Peabody Hotel. †

BUCKEYE SALVE.—A fresh supply of the justly celebrated article for the cure of Piles, received and for sale by G. W. JONES & CO., Wholesale Druggists, 257 Main street.

LADIES! please look at those very cheap, perfumed Bouquet Fans, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

ARKANSAS.—The militia have left Crittenden county entirely, with the exception of twenty negroes, who are left in charge of the Deputy Sheriff, the brother of the Sheriff, who is now absent, but will soon return.

A CARD.—Colored Alpaccas 30c.; Irish Linens 35c. Menken Bro's will open this morning a handsome line of colored Alpaccas at 30c a yard. Also, a good quality of Irish Linen, pure flax, at 35c per yard. Some novelties in Black Silk Mantles will also be shown. ‡

JOE LOCKE, 236½ Main street, is the place to get your reading matter. †

ALL colors silk fringe, colored satins and new styles dress buttons, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

PERSONAL.

We had the pleasure of meeting yesterday, and having a long and interesting conversation with Dr. N. J. Bussey, President of the Eagle and Phœnix Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ga. The Doctor showed us specimens of the goods made by their factory, consisting of domestics, ginghams, osnaburgs, attackapas, and other cotton fabrics—cotton and woolen blankets, and all wool goods. These we do not hesitate to say were equal in point of beauty and finish to the best turned out from the looms of England or the North. The Doctor left yesterday for home, after securing numerous orders from our merchants.

SEA ISLAND and Bleached Domestics, at extraordinary bargains, at M. Kraus & Co.'s, No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

Buckeye Salve.—A fresh supply of the never-failing remedy for piles just received and for sale by C. C. Ward & Bro., † Cor. Adams and Main sts

WEATHERBEE'S is the place to "smile." †

MERCHANT TAILORS will do well to look at those cloths, cassimeres and tailors' trimmings, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

AT MRS. M. C. HUNTER'S Southern Emporium of Fashion, 247 Main street, the ladies of Memphis and vicinity will find the finest assortment of bonnets, hats, French flowers, dress trimmings, laces, parasols, French corsets, ladies' and children's underwear and dresses, all kinds of silk, linen and marseilles, sacques, lace points, and every variety of goods—best styles ever displayed in this city. Dressmaking particularly attended to. We have made dress trimming a specialty, and are sure of pleasing all. Our Spring opening will take place on Thursday, April 1st, when everything will be exposed for inspection. ‡

PLEASE call at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams, and examine those black and colored silks, and black and colored Alpacas. †

AT EMMONS & SON'S, 10 Jefferson and 393 Main, Hearth and Home, True Flag, American Union, Die Welt, German Leslie, Days Doings, Sporting Times, Army and Navy Journal, Album, Appleton's Journal, Financial and Commercial Chronicle, Emerald, Italian paper, Turf, Field and Farm, Waverly, Spirit of the Times, New York Citizen, Pomeroy's Democrat, National Chronicle, Henry Ward Beecher's sermons are received every week, Blackwood for March, Dewitt's Base Ball Guide for 1869, and all the dailies as usual received and on sale.

LADIES' all linen handkerchiefs, $1 25 per dozen, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

THE COURTS.

MUNICIPAL COURT—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.*—In this Court yesterday, in addition to disposing of the two cases set for trial, the following orders and judgment were entered of record, to wit:

Joiner vs Hirsh—New trial granted.

Mansfield vs Winn—Judgment for plaintiff $91 55.

Laird vs Carson et al—Judgment by default $201 15.

Stack vs Kenzler—Judgment for plaintiff $600.

To-day being the last day of the term, the Court will hear and determine motions for new trial, and all other motions to which parties may be entitled. Writs of inquiry will also be executed, and bill of exceptions signed.

CRIMINAL COURT.—*Wm. Hunter, Judge.*—This Court was engaged yesterday in trying the case of State vs. Jack Kelly, indicted for larceny. The case was given to the jury towards the close of the day, but no verdict was rendered. To-day the Court will take up the case of State vs. Cosgrove, indicted for murder.

LAW COURT—*H. S. Lee, Judge.*—This Court convened at the usual hour yesterday morning, and took up the case of Union Bank of Tennessee vs. Lanier et al. The case being submitted to the jury, they returned a verdict for the plaintiff for $17,726 91.

Judgments were also rendered in the following cases:

1518 Stiles vs Andrews & Co, judgment for plaintiff, $302.

1535 Irwin et al vs Dill, executrix, judgment for plaintiff, $622 03.

1549 Anderson & Gay vs Walker, judgment for plaintiff, $1570 62.

Causes Nos. 2718, 3710, 2931 and 1578, were continued. Owing to the absence of counsel, the case of Elliott vs Cook was dismissed for want of prosecution.

The Court was engaged in the trial of the case of State of Tennessee, use, etc., vs John B. Mosely et al., when it adjourned. To-day the above case will be resumed, and will, in all probability, occupy the whole day.

CHANCERY COURT—*Wm. M. Smith, Chancellor.*—To-day is motion day. The roll of attorneys will be called, commencing at the letter K.

Thursday will be devoted to calling the cases on the hearing docket, in which orders to speed cause have been made in the Clerk's office. Attorneys engaged in such causes should be present.

WHITE and pink musquito netting, 45 50, 65 and 75 cents per yard, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main st., corner of Adams. †

Grand Opening of Spring Millinery Goods on Wednesday, March 31st, at C. Doherty's, 338 Main Street. ‡

IF you want something good, to keep your spirits up, go to Joe Locke's, 236½ Main street.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS wanting dry goods, examine the price of M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams, before purchasing elsewhere. †

GRAND BALL OF THE IRISH LITERARY ASSOCIATION TO-NIGHT.—This ball has a special claim on every one interested in the welfare of our city. It is a good sign to see our young men strive for a library, and should be well supported. Already promising to be a great success, make it more so by attending.

WORKINGMEN, rally to the City Hall, Exchange Building, this, Wednesday, evening at 7½ o'clock, to hear Mr. R. F. Trevellick, of the National Labor Congress, on "The Rights of Labor and Capital." Merchants, bankers, and all who are interested in the prosperity of the country, are cordially invited to attend.

The great and wonderful remedy for Piles, "Buckeye Salve," just received and for sale by W. H. Seabrook, Cor. Main and Poplar sts.

THE AMENDE.—The *Sun* yesterday did itself the credit to make the following just and honorable amend: "It affords us pleasure to correct an erroneous statement which appeared in our columns some days ago, charging Mr. John League, County Court Clerk, with having received currency on account of merchants' tax, and paying the same over in warrants. Our informant authorizes us to say that, after he made the statement to us, he called on Mr. Lowenstein and ascertained that the amount he paid Mr. League was on account of the State tax, instead of the county tax. We would not willingly do injustice to a worthy officer, and it gives us more pleasure to make the correction than to have published the error."

MEN'S British half hose, $4 50 per dozen, worth $6, at M. Kraus & Co., 218 Main street, corner of Adams. †

BUCKEYE SALVE.—The great remedy for Piles, just received and for sale by MANSFIELD & HIGBEE, Wholesale Druggists, 301 & 303 Main St.

State and County Taxes.

OFFICE STATE AND COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR, MEMPHIS, March 31, 1869.

In accordance with section seventeen of of the revenue law of the State of Tennessee, as amended March 13th, 1868, a list of the property of delinquent taxpayers will be furnished for publication in a few days.

On the publication of this list, as required by law, delinquents become subject to a penalty of twenty-five per cent., together with cost of advertising, in addition to the amount of taxes assessed.

As the penalty and costs are heavy, it will be to the interest of delinquents to come forward and settle at this office without delay. WM. MCLEAN, State and County Tax-Collector for Shelby county, Tenn. †

HARRY WEATHERBEE keeps a choice selection of the finest brands of liquors. †

SATIN Parasols, $3 50, at M. Kraus & Co.'s No. 218 Main street, corner of Adams. ‡

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The Trying Season.—The searching winds the cold, drizzling rains, the heavy fogs, and occasional warm and moist days of March, render it, upon the whole, the most unhealthy month of the year. Its depressing influences are especially unfavorable to invalids, and thousands of persons with feeble constitutions, who have borne the winter bravely, break down in the first month of Spring. The variations of temperature and cold east winds are a serious trial to the dyspeptic and bilious, whose symptoms they invariably aggravate. Intermittent fever is also rife wherever there is evolvable poison in the water or soil. To enable the system to combat these evils, there is nothing like a good vegetable tonic, and among this class of medicines HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS stand supreme. Medical men prescribe it in preference to any of the tonic preparations of the pharmacopœia. They are aware that the ordinary tinctures and extracts are all based upon cheap alcohol, which is surcharged with an acrid essential oil, and absolutely poisonous. They know, on the other hand, that the rectified essence of the finest rye grown in this country is the sole spiritous ingredient of HOSTETTER'S BITTERS, and that the vegetable medicinal elements of which it is composed are of rare efficacy. Hence it has the confidence of physicians, and finds its way into hospitals where no other proprietary medicine is sanctioned.

A course of the BITTERS is especially recommended to persons of delicate habit, of both sexes, at this season. In the fever and ague districts of the West and South, quinine has been almost universally discarded as a chologogue, and this invaluable antidote to malarious disorders adapted in its stead. A double gain is realized by the change, for the Bitters, unlike that dangerous alkaloid, are agreeable to the palate, and their curative effect is much more permanent.

Constitution Water is a certain cure for diabetis and all diseases of the kidneys. For sale by all druggists.

It is said that the proprietors of the celebrated PLANTATION BITTERS rent no less than nine pews from the different denominations in New York city for all those of their employees who will occupy them regularly, free of charge. This is certainly praiseworthy, and it is to be hoped that others who employ a large number of people will follow the example. The above fact, accompanied with the belief that a firm who would look so closely after the morals and welfare of their employees, would not undertake to impose upon the public, has induced us to give the PLANTATION BITTERS a trial, and having found them to be all that is represented, we cordially recommend them as a tonic of rare merit. *Observer, July 1st.*

Magnolia Water.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.

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They are made of the best No. 1 Charcoal Iron, are heavy plate, strong and durable, and have more merit and greater cooking facilities for the price than can be found in any other stove.
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FINANCE AND TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY APPEAL, MEMPHIS, March 30, 1869.

FINANCE.

The money market is easing up under the activity manifested by the staple and exchange is making largely. There is so far no change in rates. New York bills are taken at ⅛c discount, and sold at ⅛@¼c premium to outsiders.

City Scrip is some firmer. We note a sale of $1000 by a dealer at 76½c.

County Warrants and Police Scrip are firm and unchanged.

Gold in New York opened at 131⅛c and closed at —. Money tight at 7 per cent on all loans. Sterling exchange dull at 108¾c on 60 day bills.

Governments were generally unchanged at the opening, but closed firm:

Bonds of 1881		115¾@115⅞
5-20 Bonds of	1862	118 @118⅛
" " "	1864	113¾@113⅞
" " "	1865	115¼@115⅜
" " "	1865, new	112¼@112⅜
" " "	1867	112⅜@113
" " "	1868	113 @113⅛
10-40		105 @105⅛
Pacific Sixes		103 @103⅛

Stocks were very much unsettled at the opening, with the Bears making a strong effort to break down prices for the purpose of covering, but the large short interest outstanding sustained prices, which at the close were firm with fair transactions:

Wells & Fargo Ex., 30½; American Ex., 41; Adams Ex., 58½; U. S. Ex., 57; Merchants Union Ex., 15; Quicksilver, 19½; Canton 59; Pacific Mail, 89½; Western Union Telegraph Co., 37½; New York Central, 160½; Erie, — to —; Hudson, 138½; Reading, 91½; Chicago & Alton, 150½; preferred, 151; Toledo, W. and W., 67; preferred 77; St. Paul, 70½; preferred 89½; Ft. Wayne, 124½; Ohio and Mississippi, 32½; Michigan Central, 117; Michigan Southern, 95⅞; Illinois Central, 135; Cleveland & Pittsburg, 89; Cleveland & Toledo, 106½; Rock Island, 132½; Chicago & Northwestern, 83½; preferred, 92.

Old Tennessee Bonds were held at 66½c, with no sales. Sales of New reported at 64½c.

We quote Gold at 130¾@131c buying; selling at 132c.

COTTON.

For the first time since Thursday last we are able to give Liverpool advices on cotton. That market, at the opening to-day, was active with Uplands 12½@12⅝d; Orleans 12⅞@12¾d. At 1:20 p. m. it was active, with Uplands 12⅝@12¾d; Orleans 12⅞@12¾d, and closed active, with sales of 20,000 bales Uplands 12⅝d; Orleans 12⅞d.

The New York market, at the opening, was very firm, with holders asking higher rates. Low Middlings 28c; Uplands 29c; Good Middlings 30c. At 11:50 the demand was fair and prices firm. At 12:30 the demand was active at full prices, asking ½c higher. At 1:30 p. m. holders asked an advance, and buyers were cautious. Low Middling 28@28½c; Uplands 29@29½c; Good Middlings 30@30½c. At 2:05 p. m. it was less active, but prices were maintained, and closed quiet but steady at last quotations.

Our market has been active—almost excited—and prices have advanced ½ to ⅝c, although the sales, it will be seen, were made at irregular rates. One buyer took about 800 bales, another about 400 for Liverpool direct, and in all probably 2000 bales were sold. Among the sales were 73 bales Low Ordinary, at 23½c, and 23 bales at the same; 79 Ordinary 23½c; 62 do at 25½c; 10 at 25c; 50 at 25c; 16 at 24½c; 24 at 25½c; 65 Good Ordinary at 25½c; 200 at 25½c; 36 at 25½c; 16 at 26c; 31 at 26½c; 390 sby Low Middlings at 26½c; 68 Low Middlings 26½c; 40 at 26½c; 164 at 26½c; 222, 11, 51, 160, 31, 72, 155 Low Middlings at 26½c; 20 at 27c; 78,165, at 27½c; 63, 4, 57, 52, 59 Middlings at 27½c; 38 at 28c; 15 Strict Middlings at 28c; 16 and 6 Good Middlings at 29½c. It will be seen that low grades are irregular and hard to quote.

COTTON STATEMENT.
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, MEMPHIS, March 30, 1869.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1868		47
Received to-day	325	
Received previously	222,642	222,967
		223,014
Exported to-day	2,034	
Exported previously	198,409	200,443
Stock on hand at 12 m		22,571

Receipts were per M. & C. R. R. 94 bales; M. & T. R. R. —; M. & O. R. R. 219; M. & L. R. R. R. —; Steamers 251; wagons —. Exports were per M. & C. R. R. 473; M. & O. R. R. 16; south by the M. & T. R. R. —; Steamers 1545. Decrease of stock on hand 1940 bales. Shipments South 1500 bales.

The culture of cotton is largely on the increase in China. A Consular report lately forwarded to the Foreign Office of Great Britain states that in twenty-three magisterial districts in the northern portion of the Province of Kiangtse about 6,050,000 square acres of land are cultivated. Of these about a quarter are submerged every summer from the rise of the Yang-tsze-kiang, about a quarter is irrigated land, a quarter rough mountain sides and hills, and the remaining quarter is garden land, incapable of growing rice, and of this about two-fifths and of the rough land and irrigated land one-fifth, are devoted to cotton cultivation each autumn. The farmer preserves from his crop sufficient seed for the following autumn. Between the cropping and the planting the land is under tillage. The cotton plant to a casual observer, it is said, looks thin and stunted, and to a person who has seen it growing in the United States the yield seems small, and miserably poor; but the cultivation, except in very bad years, obtains on ordinary good ground from 1000 pounds to 1250 pounds per acre. Mr. Consul Medhurst states that in Shanghae there were 48,000 acres planted with cotton; but adds that complaints have been made of late by the cultivators that the Chinese local officials show an inclination to tax the growth of cotton where the produce is sold for a foreign market, and in one particular instance as much as 500 cash per picul has been actually taken upon every lot taken up for purchase to foreigners in the Hangehow and Hai-men districts, on the northern bank of the Yang-tsze. This, of course, is contrary to the Tien-tsin treaty, and the case has been represented to her Majesty's Ministry at Pekin. Sir Rutherford Alcock has, therefore, the opportunity of testing the merits of the new convention with China, and the promptitude of the Chinese Government to redress local grievances. It would be interesting to know, before the Burlingame mission leaves Europe, what is the result of the appeal to the Celestial Emperor.

TRADE.

This day, usually a busy one in our city, owing to the large number of local packets in port, was not so active as it should have been. It is true a large number of people were in town, but they bought sparingly. Prices are unsettled and the majority of buyers prefer to wait, hoping for lower prices. Whether their expectations will be realized is yet to be seen, but it cannot be denied that the provision markets of the world are weak and prices are out of proportion to the supply.

The returns of the British Board of Trade for 1868 exhibit a falling off to some extent in the general trade of the country, but the figures are not so unfavorable as the depression in the manufacturing districts had led some to expect. The value of the exports during the year amounted to £179,463,644 against £180,961,923 in 1867, and £188,917,536 in 1866. These figures indicate a tendency, on the part of trade to recuperate after the severe commercial revulsion of 1866, for while there is a falling off in the exports to the extent of eight millions sterling in 1867 as compared with 1866, the further diminution last year did not exceed a million and a half. The returns relating to imports are more encouraging. The figures relate only to eleven months of 1868, during which period the value of the imports was declared at £217,829,365, against £208,526,055 in 1867, and £225,236,103 in 1866. These figures show an increase in regard to imports of nine millions upon 1867, while, taking into account that another month's returns have yet to be added, it is probable the total will not fall much short of that given for 1866. The imports of bullion last year were £24,852,595, and the exports £20,220,014.

There is an active demand for choice eating APPLES and none in the market. We quote nominally $8 to $10 per barrel.

The BUTTER market is fairly supplied. Choice Western 38 to 40c. Good 30 to 35c. Common 25c.

BEANS are in light supply and prices steady at 2 to $3 per bushel for mixed, 3 25 to $3 50 for navy.

In PROVISIONS there is no change except that Mess Pork is lower. We quote in lots $32; in a small way 32 50 to $33. Prime Mess 29 to $29 50. Prime Pork 27 50 to $28. Rumps 27 50 to $28. Jowls $24. Clear bulk Sides 16¾ to 17c. Clear Rib 16¼ to 16½c. Rib Sides 15¾ to 16c. Shoulders 13 to 13½c. Bacon, clear Sides 17¼ to 17½c. Shoulders 14½c. S. C. Hams, plain, 18¾ to 19c. S. C. canvassed 20 to 21c. Lard, in tierces, 19¼ to 19½c; kegs 20¼ to 21c; caddies 21 to 22c. Sales of Bacon and Bulk Meats in lots on levee were made to-day at ¼ to ½c under our quotations.

In CHEESE there is no change. Stocks light and prices firm. Factory 23 to 24c. E. D. 23 to 23½c. W. R. 22 to 23c.

The COFFEE market is steady. We quote Ordinary 19 to 20c; Fair, 20 to 21c; Good, 22 to 23c; Prime, 24 to 25c; Choice, 26½ to 28c.

CORNMEAL is only in moderate supply. Held in lots at 3 50 to $3 60. In a small way from store $3 75. Kilndried in store is held at $4, but is slow of sale.

The demand is active for all kinds of DRIED FRUITS. Dried Apples 9 to 12c; Peaches 11 to 14c.

EGGS are abundant and dull at 18@20c.

In FLOUR there is only a light trade doing and prices are weaker. We quote Superfine 5 75 to $6 25; X, 7 to $7 50; XX, $8; XXX $9; and Fancy brands, 9 50 to $12.

The demand for GRASS SEEDS is falling off. Clover 10 to $11 per bushel. Blue Grass $3 25. Timothy $3 25. Orchard Grass $2 25. Herds $2. Millet $3. Lucerne and White Clover 75c per lb.

The HIDE market is active and prices firm. Green 9 to 9½c; Salt 10 to 11c; Dry Salt, 20c; Dry Flint, 23 to 24c; Deer Skins, green, 15 to 16c; dry, 33 to 35c.

In IRON TIES we have no change to note. Selling at 6 to 7½c as to style.

Cape and Alabama LIME held at 2 to $2 25 per barrel. Utica 1 75 to $2. Louisville Cement 2 75 to $3.

SUGARS and MOLASSES firm—tending upwards, with fair stock and demand. Fair Sugar 14 to 14½c; Prime, 15½ to 16c; Choice, 16 to 17c; Yellow Clarified, 17 to 18c; White Clarified, 18 to 19c. MOLASSES is also dull; Common, 70 to 75c; Choice, 80 to 90c.

The PRODUCE market is very dull. Peachblow POTATOES are offered at 2 50 to $2 60 in lots on levee; Pink Eyes are dull at 2 50 to $3; Russetts 2 50 to $3; London Ladys 3 to $3 50; Early Goodrichs 4 to 4 50. ONIONS $7 50 per bbl.

There is a fair demand for POULTRY and stock light. Turkeys 20 to $24. Geese 9 to $10. Ducks 6 to $6 50. Chickens 6 to $6 50.

In SALT there is no material change. Large Dairy, in seven bushel barrels, $4 50. Small Dairy, in 5 bushel barrels, $3 50. Large Common, in 7 bushel barrels, 3 30 to $3 50. Small Common, in 5 bushel barrels, 2 50 to $2 75. These are quotations in lots from first hands.

There is a fair demand for choice beef cattle, but inferior grades are dull. We quote 1st class Western beef cattle at 7@8c gross; 2d class, 5 to 6c; 3d 3 to 4c; inferior 2 to 3c. Milch Cows, 30 to $100; Work Oxen, 75 to $125 per yoke; Hogs, 6 to 9c gross; Sheep, 3 to $7 per head.

Manufactured TOBACCOS are in good demand with prices firm. Stocks are very fair and improving.

In WHISKY we have little change to note. Prices are weak. Highwines 92c.

THE CROPS.

From all quarters, says the Nashville *Banner* of Sunday, we continue to hear encouraging intelligence of a fair prospect for good crops and abundant harvests. In Middle Tennessee the prospect is fine. In this county the farmers all look and talk hopefully. In Wilson, owing to continuous rains, operations are backward and but little corn will be planted till late in April. Wheat, however, is promising. An unusual quantity was sown, it has passed the winter without injury and is thick upon the ground and of fine color. The Lebanon *Herald* thinks the yield will equal if it does not eclipse the famous crop of 1855. Around Lebanon the peach crop is not materially damaged as yet, nor in the adjacent country, but the plum crop will be short. Similar news reaches us from East Tennessee.

The same paper also says: We still continue to hear the most encouraging news in regard to the growing wheat crop in this county. An unusual quantity was sown, and it has passed through the winter without injury. It is thick upon the ground and of fine color. With a favorable season from now until harvest, the yield will equal, if it does not eclipse, the famous crop of 1855.

The Knoxville *Press and Herald* says that not for many years has the prospect for a beautiful harvest been so favorable at this season of the year as now. The wheat fields are verdant as a meadow in May, and the area sown is in excess of former years. The season for sowing oats has been more favorable than last year, and farmers are sowing a heavy crop. The amount of clover seed sown is greater than any year since the war, and take it altogether the farming better. More attention is paid to the improved machinery now so universally used in the neighboring States, and farms are worked better than since the war. So far the fruit is not injured, and we expect a large yield.

Wheat in Lincoln county is looking very well, and the prospect for a large crop is quite flattering.

Attention, Bankrupts!

In the District Court of the United States, for the District of West Tennessee—In Bankruptcy.

At Chambers, in the City of Memphis, in said District, on the 22d day of March, A.D., 1869.

THERE are on my Docket over one hundred cases in Bankruptcy, in a condition to be finally disposed of.

Notice is hereby given to such petitioners and their attorneys, to obtain their Discharges before May 1st, and avoid the delay, annoyance and expense of having the cases returned to the office of the District Clerk.

There are also over one hundred cases suspended in the Clerk's office for failure to deposit the $100 heretofore necessary. Parties interested are notified of a modification of the practice, so as to require, in advance, $70 in-$50, can have their cases referred immediately on payment of $2.

Particular attention is directed to the provision in the Bankrupt Act, which requires that "there shall be no unreasonable delay on the part of the Bankrupt in endeavoring to obtain his discharge."

T. J. LATHAM, Register in Bankruptcy.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Memphis and Louisville Railroad Line.

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Day Express, R. R. time	5:00 a.m.	3:00 p.m
" City time	4:45 a.m.	
Night Express, R. R. time	4:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m
" City time	3:45 p.m.	

Ticket offices No. 237½ Main street and at Depot, head of Main street.

Sleeping Car attached to Night Express Train, which goes through to Nashville, via Nashville and Northwestern Railroad, without change.

SAM. B. JONES, Gen'l Sup't.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Mail, daily	3:15 p.m.	4:15 p.m
New Orleans Express, daily except Sunday	8:30 a.m.	8 35 a.m
Freight, daily except Sunday	3:00 p.m.	6:25 a.m

Time through to New Orleans 24 hours. Baggage checked through. Ticket office 237½ Main street and at Depot. Omnibuses will call for passengers and check baggage in any part of the city, by leaving orders at 237½ Main street.

feb14 A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.

Memphis and Little Rock Railroad

TO MADISON AND LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Going West—Leave Hopefield daily at 7½ a.m. Coming East—Leave Madison daily at 2 p.m. Ferry Boat leaves foot of Union street at 7 a.m.

S. B. BEAUMONT, General Superintendent.

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RIVER MATTERS.

WEATHER AND RIVERS.

GAS WORKS, March 30, 1869.

The river rose in the past twenty-four hours 2 inches. Below high water mark, 8 feet and 6 inches.

CHAS. GOODWIN.

The river is now 3 inches higher than at the last rise, and our expectations that it would come to a stand have not been fulfilled as yet. The latest advices from the Arkansas at Little Rock, and from the Upper Mississippi and Ohio, will be found in our telegraphic columns.

Arrivals.

Steamer Magenta, St. Louis.
" Leni Leoti, Arkansas river.
" Arkansas, " "

Departures.

Steamer Great Republic, St. Louis.
" Belle Memphis, St. Louis.
" Arkansas, St. Louis.
" G. W. Cheek, Osceola.
" Coosa, Evansville.
" Natoma, Friar's Point.
" W. A. Caldwell, Ark. river.
" St. Francis, St. Francis river.
" Des Arc, White river.
" Magenta, New Orleans.
" Thompson Dean, New Orleans.

In Port.

Leni Leoti, Darling, Guidon.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Our levee was the scene of considerable animation yesterday. Boats lined the wharf from Jefferson to Beal street, but freights up stream were not abundant.

The Thompson Dean passed down. She got 1500 bales of cotton at this port.

The snag boat R. E. DeRussy left yesterday for Cairo.

The Caldwell, for the Arkansas, had a splendid trip. Her staterooms were all engaged early in the day.

The Des Arc left for White river with an excellent trip.

The Great Republic and Arkansas passed up for St. Louis, and the Belle Memphis departed for that port.

The Magenta passed down for New Orleans. She had a good trip.

Sam Shock proposes to ticket passengers to New Orleans by rail during race week at $18 for the round trip. Parties of twenty only can avail themselves of this reduction.

The splendid steamer, Leni Leoti, Capt. Tom Berry leaves on Thursday for Little Rock, and all way points on the Arkansas. She carries the United States mail.

The Argosy, Capt. Wm. Ashford, leaves on Thursday for Augusta and way landings on White river. Sue is the regular packet. Milt. Harry is chief clerk.

Capt. Clay Rice will back out his fine steamer Guidon to-day, for Pine Bluff and every way landing hence to that point. She is a very superior packet, and makes time with the regularity of a Jules Jurgenson. Garrett Huls and Sam Woods are her popular secretaries.

The magnificent packet City of Alton, Capt. J. B. Archer, will pass up to-day for Cairo and St. Louis. She is the regular Wednesday packet. J. M. White is her chief clerk.

The elegant passenger packet Darling, of which A. J. Carter is master, will leave to-day at her usual hour for Cairo, Evansville, Louisville and Cincinnati. She is one of our best packets. J. F. Power, a competent, reliable and popular clerk, has charge of her office.

The steamers which left New York on Saturday, for Southern ports, carried full cargoes, owing to the activity of spring trade and the improved prospects of the South. There are indications that travel to Europe will be very great in April and May, many steamers having full passenger lists for those months.

The Diamond Joe, a sternwheeler, is on her way from Quincy, Ills., to New Orleans. She has 900 bbls. of pork among her cargo.

The river is open at Dubuque, Iowa.

The Cora, Only Chance, Silver Bow, Importer, Emilie LaBarge, Admiral Farragut, H. M. Shreve, Sallie, Fannie Scott, Peter Balen, G. B. Allen, St. Johns, Henry Adkins, Lacon, Clarksville and Utah are advertised for the mountains, at St. Louis, in the order in which we publish them.

The Marble City, newly repaired and in tip top order, is now in the Vicksburg and St. Louis trade.

The Alice Dean, Capt. Shunk, will pass up for Cincinnati to-day. She wants from 500 to 1000 bales of cotton.

The late heavy rains have created a tremendous flood in the Scioto river, that stream having broken its banks in many places, and caused considerable damage to the track of the new Hocking Valley Railroad. Franklinton was almost submerged.

GROCERS.

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Choice Flour—at low prices;
The best Hams and Breakfast Bacon and Tongues;
Fresh Chocolate, Cocoa and Cocoa Shells;
Choice Teas—of all kinds;
Shaker Preserves—selling low by the case;
Syrups and Molasses—the best;
Choice Sugars and Coffees;
Mess Mackerel; Kendall's Crackers.

Families in the country and city would find it to their interest to call on us. We invariably please our patrons.

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STEAMBOATS.

FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

Memphis and Arkansas River Packet Company United States Mail Line.

LENI LEOTI..........W. T. Berry master

This splendid passenger steamer will leave for the above on THURSDAY, April 1st, at 5 p.m.

T. A. KENDIG, Agent,

mh31 304 Front st., Mosby Block.

FOR WHITE RIVER

Regular Memphis and White River Thursday Packet.

ARGOSY..........Ashford master

This new and splendid passenger steamer will leave as above on THURSDAY, April 1st, at 5 p.m.

ELLIOTT & MILLER, Agents,

mh31 Promenade street, foot Jefferson.

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis United States Mail Line.

CITY OF ALTON..........J. B. Archer master

This elegant and swift steamer will leave as above THIS DAY, 31st inst., at 5 p.m.

Freight received at St. Louis Wharfboat.

mh31 FLEM. CALVERT, Sup't.

FOR PINE BLUFF.

Regular Arkansas River Wednesday Packet—For Helena, Friar's Point and Pine Bluff.

GUIDON..........Rice master

This splendid passenger packet will leave for the above WEDNESDAY, 31st inst., at 5 p.m.

E. A. LEVY, Agent,

mh29 No. 290 Front street.

FOR CINCINNATI.

Regular Memphis and Cincinnati Packet, For Cairo, Louisville and Cincinnati.

ALICE DEAN..........John Shunk master

This splendid passenger steamer will leave as above THIS DAY, 31st inst., at 5 p.m.

VINSON & DONAHUE,

mh31 254 Front street.

Memphis and Cincinnati Packet Company. For Cairo, Louisville and Cincinnati.

DARLING..........Carter master

This elegant and fleet passenger steamer will leave WEDNESDAY, 31st inst., at 5 p.m.

JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents,

mh28 No. 12 Jefferson street.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

The new and elegant passenger steamer

LEGAL TENDER

John D. Elliott, Master. W. H. Miller, Clerk.

WILL LEAVE CINCINNATI SATURDAY, April 3d, and Louisville TUESDAY, April 6th, for Memphis and White River.

ORDERS SOLICITED.

ELLIOTT & MILLER, Agents,

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FOR HALE'S POINT.

Memphis and Hale's Point Packet.

The Steamer

MARTINE..........E. Rector, Master

WILL leave Memphis for Hale's Point and all Way Landings EVERY MONDAY AND THURSDAY.

Apply on board. feb1

TRI-WEEKLY PACKET FOR OSCEOLA.

GEO. W. CHEEK..........George Malone, Master

Frank Gonterman, Clerk,

LEAVES MEMPHIS ON TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 p.m., for Randolph, Fulton, Fort Pillow, Osceola and all Way Landings. Returning, leaves Osceola WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY and SUNDAY.

Apply on board. mh5

Memphis and St. Francis River Tuesday Packet.

For Helena, Mariana, Madison and Wittsburg.

The new and elegant Sidewheel Passenger Packet,

SAINT FRANCIS,

Capt. T. R. Bowman, - - Sam C. Paine, Clerk

WILL leave Memphis for HELENA, L'ANGUILLE and ST. FRANCIS RIVERS every TUESDAY, at 5 o'clock p.m.

LARRY HARMSTAD, Agent,

feb19 No. 22½ Madison street.

MEMPHIS & ARKANSAS RIVER

Packet Compa'y.

Tri-Weekly U. S. Mail Line.

THE FOLLOWING ELEGANT PASSENGER Boats of this LINE will leave Memphis hereafter THREE TIMES A WEEK, as follows:

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 5 o'clock p.m.,

THOMAS H. ALLEN....Reese Pritchard, Master
W. A. CALDWELL..........R. L. Baines, Master
OZARK..........H. Blaisdell, Master
LENI LEOTI..........W. T. Berry, Master

Connecting at LITTLE ROCK with the Company's new and light-draught packets for Fort Smith and Fort Gibson. Close connections made both ways.

AMERICAN..........Jno. W. Williams, Master
VAN BUREN..........James Bowlin, Master
FORT GIBSON..........John Woodburn, Master
FORT SMITH..........Ed. Nowland, Master

All of the above boats were built expressly for the trade, and are particularly well adapted to it. Passengers and freight will be put through by this line to all points on the Arkansas river without detention, and at reasonable rates.

All persons shipping freight for any point on the Arkansas river from North or East of Memphis, should have their goods consigned to "Memphis and Arkansas River Packet Company," at Memphis. Merchandise shipped from New Orleans should be consigned to Memphis and Arkansas River Packet Company, Napoleon, Ark.

Freight received at any time at the Company's office.

JNO. D. ADAMS, President.

T. A. KENDIG, Agent,

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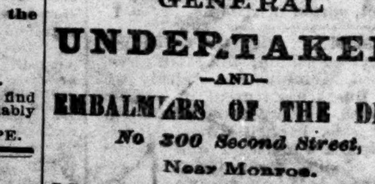
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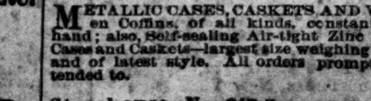
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Begins the year (January 1, 1869,) with

ASSETS,

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Increased over $1,000,000 during the past year, after paying losses by death ($455,450), and Dividends 1865, 1866 and 1867, and purchased Policies ($305,089), amounting in sum total to $760,539.

Total losses by death paid since organization of the Company,

$866,250!

Total Return Dividends paid since organization of the Company,

$414,209!

Policies issued during the year 1868,

4,664!

Total number of Policies issued since organization of the Company,

14,330!

ASSETS AND RESERVE SECURE AND AMPLE FOR ALL CONTINGENCIES.

PRESENT ANNUAL INCOME,

$2,500,000!

Our past success is a guarantee for the future. Long lists of reference are easily obtained, but are no real guarantee of SAFETY and SUCCESS. The cheapest assurance is in tried and experienced Companies.

The higher per cent. of interest West, and our present annual income (over $2,500,000), will appeal largely to those desiring Assurance as an advantage with us in the future of their Policies.

EXAMINE OUR PLANS AND RATES BEFORE INSURING ELSEWHERE.

A Strictly Mutual Company,

With the additional security of a paid-up

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MEMPHIS, : TENN.

J. S. WHITE, M.D., W. T. IRWIN, M.D.,

MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

Statement of the Condition of the St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, on the 1st day of January, 1869.

On the first day of January, 1869, made to the Comptroller of the State of Tennessee, in compliance with the laws of that State relating to Agents of Insurance Companies of other States doing business in that State.

The name of this Company is the Saint Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, and is located in the City of St. Louis, County of St. Louis, State of Missouri.

The amount of Capital Stock is paid up, and is..........$100,000 00

ASSETS.

Loans secured by Deeds of Trust, first liens of record on Real Estate, principally in city and county of St. Louis, as per schedule annexed	$1,012,281 63
Loans on Policies in force	1,527,900 28
Cash on hand, in Bank and Office	91,939 28
Loans on Personal Security	69,780 91
Tennessee State Bonds, six per cent	26,000 00
Coupons on same, due 1st January, 1869	780 00
Virginia State Bonds	30,000 00
Office Furniture and Iron Safes, at Home Office and Agencies	5,164 29
Revenue Stamps on hand	971 00
Deferred Annual, Semi-Annual and Quarterly Premiums due on Policies in force and in transitu from Agents	511,411 73
Due from Agents, and for first Premiums on Policies in hands of Agents and in course of transmission	254,689 33
Accrued Interest	88,805 24
	$3,619,670 67

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$100,000 00
Dividends Unredeemed	33,450 46
Interest to reduce Bonds and Notes to present six per cent. value and for taxes unpaid	127,315 03
Losses admitted not yet due and unc[illegible] called for	85,600 00
Reserve for Reinsurance	2,961,512 24
Surplus	311,792 94
	$3,619,670 67

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the original now on file in this office.

G. W. BLACKBURN, Comptroller of State.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NASHVILLE, January 1, 1869.

I, G. W. Blackburn, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, located at St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies; and I further certify that McMahon & Otis, Agents of said Company, have also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases; wherefore, said St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company has authority to take risks and transact the business of Insurance in this State, at Memphis, Tenn.

G. W. BLACKBURN, Comptroller of Tennessee.

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DR. RUSSELL'S DISPENSARY AND INFIRMARY, the largest and oldest institution of the kind in the Southwest, established in 1859, pleasantly located at No. 42 north side of Court Square, Memphis, Tennessee, is open for the reception of patients desiring treatment and the comforts of a home while receiving the same. Patients also treated at the office or by letter, if desired.

Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Gout, Paralysis, Deafness, Fits, Consumption, Syphilis, Skin Diseases, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all the diseases arising from the indiscretion of youth, permanently cured. Also, Chronic Diseases in all their forms effectually cured at the above-named institution—Dr. RUSSELL, Consulting Physician.

Treatise on Chronic Diseases furnished free on application. ja1

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THE

ECONOMY BUTTER CO

Ask the attention of all interested in the reduction of the extravagant cost of Butter, to their practical and economical system of making pure prime Butter by aid of the

EXTRACT OF BUTTER PLANT.

A brief allusion to the origin of this important discovery may not prove uninteresting. Among the authenticated records of the renowned Captain Cook's voyage around the world, is found the statement, that while sojourning for a short time on the Brazilian Coast of South America, he observed the natives using, in the preparation of their food, a peculiar oil, which, upon examination, he found to possess the appearance, taste and flavor of Butter; upon further inquiry, however, he ascertained that it was simply a substance that the natives distilled in a crude and imperfect manner from a rich and luxuriant plant that grew spontaneously and abundantly in that warm tropical country. A few years ago an eminent French chemist, while on a professional visit to the tropics, made numerous experiments with this remarkable production of nature, and succeeded in extracting a concentrated essence of the plant. The formula for its preparation, and the Sole Right for the sale in this country are the exclusive property of this company, by whom it was purchased from the original discoverer. We claim for this remarkable, yet simple and perfectly harmless preparation—

1st. That by its use a net gain of from 50 to 200 per cent. is made in the manufacture of Butter.

2d. That Butter, which from age or whatever cause, may be strong, rancid, streaked or coarse-grained, and comparatively useless for general use by the aid of this Extract is restored to its original freshness and sweetness, fine grain and even color.

3d. By the use of this Extract, one pound of delicious, fresh Butter is actually made from one pint of milk.

4th. That a pure and excellent table Butter can be made, at a cost of from 15 to 20 cents per pound. The chief expense wherein being Butter, which is the essential base.

5th. That Butter manufactured by the aid of this Extract is equal in every respect to the best Butter made by the ordinary method.

6th. The Extract, after thorough analysis, by able chemists, is pronounced perfectly free from any deleterious substance, the ingredients being purely of a vegetable nature.

7th. In proof of the foregoing assertions, the factory of this company is making one ton of Butter per day, which meets with ready sale in the New York market, and is consumed from the tables of the first hotels, restaurants and private families in this city and elsewhere.

A sample package of the EXTRACT (sufficient to make fifty pounds of Butter), with full directions for use, will be sent to any address on the receipt of $1.

CAUTION.—As all articles of real merit are subject to spurious imitations, we would specially caution the public against counterfeits and worthless imitations, advertised as powders, compounds, etc., as the Extract of the Butter Plant is prepared and sold only by

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TRUST SALE.

Trustee's Sale.

THE undersigned, Trustee, will sell in front of Royster, Trezevant & Co.'s auction room, it being the northeast corner of Jefferson and Main streets, in the city of Memphis, to the highest bidder, for cash, on

Wednesday, the 28th Day of April Next,

The following real estate situated in the county of Crittenden, State of Arkansas: It being the west ½ of the west ½ of section two, in township six, north range nine east; also, the west ½ of the southwest fractional quarter of section thirty-five, in township seven, north range 9 east, containing in all two hundred and two acres, more or less; the said sale will be made as aforesaid, pursuant to the terms and stipulations of a certain deed of trust executed by Peter Andrew and Easter Salori, executed October 20, 1868, to the undersigned in Trust, to secure to James F. Barton a certain debt therein mentioned, and to satisfy said Trust. Sale between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. The title is good, but I will only sell and convey as Trustee.

mh28 JOHN P. TREZEVANT, Trustee.

Trustee's Sale.

THE undersigned, Trustee, will, at the southeast corner of Court Square, in the city of Memphis, sell to the highest bidder, for cash,

On Thursday, the First day of April Next,

The following real estate, situate in the county of Crittenden, State of Arkansas: It being the east ½ of the east ½ of section two, in township six north, range 9 east; also, the east ½ of the southeast fractional ¼ of section thirty-five, in township seven north, range nine east, containing 170 acres, more or less. The said sale will be made as aforesaid, pursuant to the terms and stipulations of a certain deed of trust executed by A. Matson, C. Thomas and Jane O. F. Thomas, executed on the 15th day of May, 1867, to the undersigned, in trust, to secure to Mrs. E. W. Barton and R. B. Barton and John S. Claybrook and Willby Williams a certain debt therein mentioned, and to satisfy the said trust. Sale between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. The title is good, but I only sell and convey as Trustee.

mh2 JAMES F. BARTON, Trustee.

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To the Owners of Real Estate in Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama and Arkansas:

THE COMPANY KNOWN TO THE PUBLIC as the "Mississippi Valley Navigation Company of the South and West," is organized under a charter from the State of Louisiana. This charter authorizes a capital stock of five hundred thousand dollars, with the privilege of extension to one million. That the public may know the exact object of the Company, the third article of the charter is given entire, as follows:

"The object of this Company is to construct or otherwise to procure and maintain one or more steamboats, or other vessels, to run on and navigate the Mississippi river, or its tributaries, for the purpose of carrying freight, mails and passengers; to construct docks, wharves, buildings and such other constructions as may be necessary to the building and repairing of vessels, and generally to exercise such incidental powers and privileges as are hereby or may be conferred on them for the purposes aforesaid."

The Company propose, under the provisions of this charter to construct a line of steamers to run between the different ports on the Mississippi river and its tributaries. They will be constructed upon the low-pressure principle; they will carry less steam; they will make better time, and be in all respects more safe than any description of boats ever placed upon our waters. Divided into distinct compartments, if disaster, whether by fire or snags, shall happen to one, the boat is not endangered. In case of fire, apparatus for turning steam upon it will be provided, and it is demonstrated that steam is the most effective extinguisher of fire. In case one compartment is broken through by contact with snags, and fills with water, the others are not endangered, and the boat cannot sink, as pumps, provided for such an emergency, will be in instant operation. Safety to passengers and freight is a great end, worthy of the struggle of the people of the Mississippi Valley.

Nearly three hundred thousand dollars in money and work has already been subscribed to the capital stock of the Company. The Louisiana Legislature has passed a bill subscribing one hundred thousand dollars of stock to the Company. An additional sum of that amount will, without a doubt, be subscribed by the same body. The Company have resolved to take lands for stock, and this is the feature to which they desire to call the attention of owners of real estate. In the Southern States, on account of the disorganized condition of labor, lands are an incumbrance. Vast tracts that yield no revenue to the proprietors, pay exorbitant taxes, and thus cripple their only productive resources. This Company propose to take these lands at a fair valuation and issue to the owners their stock in lieu. If lands shall enhance in value, so will the stock enhance in value, and thus the land proprietor will carry in his pocket the equivalent of his lands, to be converted into money or property without delay. The success of this great enterprise is beyond question. The stockholder, in addition to the benefit of the enhanced value of his lands, will be part owner of a line of boats, and be entitled to dividends in their earnings.

Persons wishing to exchange lands for the stock of the Company will send to the Agent at Memphis a description of them, their productive qualities, the timber, bottom or upland; whether overflowed or not; if overflowed, what proportion; how near to county-town, to railroad, depot, river, and all facts necessary to afford the Company a satisfactory idea of the land. This may be done by certificates of reliable, disinterested persons residing in the neighborhood. The present actual value of the land may be proved in the same manner. The party offering lands must state in his proposition the lowest figures he will take. The Company will not give exorbitant prices. The titles must be unencumbered by judgments, mortgages, deeds of trust, tax titles, or otherwise. This may be shown by official certificates of judges, clerks, sheriffs, or the opinions of respectable attorneys. This is believed to be the best opportunity to dispose of surplus lands in the South and West that has yet been or can be offered.

Many of the best and wealthiest citizens of the South and West are warmly embarked in the enterprise. The General Headquarters of the Company are in New Orleans, but agencies exist in all the principal cities. The enterprise has been endorsed by Underwriters, Chambers of Commerce, Engineers, Mechanics, practical navigators, and all classes of practical men.

The foregoing facts are submitted to the public in the confident belief that they will be understood and appreciated.

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